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Ottawa County Times.

VOL. II.

HOLLAND, MICHIGAN, FEBRUARY 3, 1893.

NO. 2.

A BOOM FOR HOLLAND!

WAIT! WAIT!

The New Clothing Store will Open Saturday, February 4

AT 9 O'CLOCK A. M.

H. STERN & CO.

OF KALAMAZOO,

Have come to your city to locate a first-class store with

CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, HATS, CAPS, &c.

AND ASK THE PEOPLE OF HOLLAND AND VICINITY FOR A SHARE OF THEIR PATRONAGE.

OUR PRESENT STORES COMPRISE

H. STERN & CO., Kalamazoo. L. STERN & CO., - Lawton.
H. STERN & CO., - Allegan. S. STERN & CO., - Marcellus.
H. STERN & CO., HOLLAND.

Therefore our facilities are such that we are enabled to buy our goods at very close figures and will give you the benefit of our purchases. Below we give a few quotations which will show you what we intend to do:

MEN'S OVERCOATS.....\$ 3.69 Everybody Asks \$6.50.	MEN'S SUITS.....\$10.00 Competitors' Price \$15.00.
MEN'S OVERCOATS.....\$ 4.50 Everybody Asks \$7.50.	MEN'S PANTS.....\$.79 Value \$1.50.
MEN'S OVERCOATS.....\$ 9.00 Everybody Asks \$15.00.	MEN'S PANTS.....\$ 1.25 Value \$2.00.
MEN'S SUITS.....\$ 4.00 Competitors' Price \$6.00.	BOYS' PANTS, LINED......48 Value 75 cents.
MEN'S SUITS.....\$ 5.00 Competitors' Price \$7.50.	BOYS' PANTS, LINED......39 Value 65 cents.
MEN'S SUITS.....\$ 8.00 Competitors' Price \$12.00.	BOYS' PANTS, LINED......23 Value 40 cents.

Boys' PANTS, LINED, 15 cents—Value 35 cents.

In our Furnishing Goods and Hat and Cap Department you will find rare bargains.

See our 43 cent Jersey Shirt, worth \$1.

Remember the Place, WARD BLOCK,
Eighth Street, Opp. DeVries' Harness Shop,

H. STERN & CO.

OTTAWA COUNTY TIMES.

M. G. MANTING, Editor and Publisher.

Published Every Friday, at Holland Michigan.

Terms of Subscription, \$1.50 per year, or \$1 per year if paid in advance.

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LOCALISMS.

See Pitton Bros. ad on 8th page.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Teerman last Saturday—a daughter.

Do not fail to see the Temple of Fame at the opera house Feb. 14th. Home talent.

Treasurer John Pessink who has been quite sick for a few days last week is around again.

An eight-pound lady boarder came to stay with Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Gillespie last Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Avery fell and broke her arm Wednesday afternoon. Dr. Wetmore reduced the fracture.

Henry Teerman of Laketown has bought a house and lot at Bay View Addition of real estate agent J. C. Post.

The services at Hope Church next Sunday evening will consist of the celebration by the Christian Endeavor society of their twelfth anniversary.

The Star of Bethlehem Chapter No. 40 O. E. S. will give a series of pedro parties at their rooms in masonic hall. The first one will be next Friday evening.

Several business blocks and residences displayed the stars and stripes at half mast last Monday, the occasion being the day of the funeral of James G. Blaine.

Rev. Dr. N. M. Steffens will occupy the pulpit in the First Reformed church next Sunday, while Rev. J. Van Houte will fill a classical appointment in the Reformed church at Zeeland.

John Streur while at work running a jointer at the West Mich. furniture factory Monday, had a piece cut off from one of his fingers on his left hand and another finger quite badly cut.

Reinder Van der Werp well known here by many as a leading clothing dealer in Grand Rapids has bought the clothing stock of William Houseman at 37 Pearl St. and will continue the business in his own name. Having a large acquaintance in the city and surrounding community there is no doubt but that he will work up a big patronage.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harmon were agreeably surprised last Monday evening by about twenty of their friends. Pedro and other amusements were in order and a good time was enjoyed by the visitors. As a token of good fellowship they presented Charley and his wife with an elegant rocker. It was about midnight when the party broke up.

On Friday evening, Feb. 10th, a social will be held at the home of Mrs. Boggs on Tenth street, under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, for the purpose of furnishing their rooms. A short musical programme will be rendered after which refreshments will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Walsh entertained a large number of their friends at pedro. The gentleman's head prize, a handsome silver paper weight, was captured by Chas. Rupert. The ladies' head prize was taken by Mrs. Chas. Rupert. At 10:30 a choice luncheon was served after which playing was resumed until after midnight when the party dispersed. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Pieters of Fennville were also present.

Mrs. F. O. Nye entertained about twenty-four friends with progressive pedro Tuesday evening. At 10 o'clock refreshments were served. M. S. Marshall won the gentleman's headprize, while Mrs. Lawless carried off the lady's head prize. The boobys were captured by Mr. Ingalls and Miss Kirschner. Miss Kirschner also rendered some excellent musical selections during the evening. At about midnight the party broke up.

The Sons of Veterans will give a grand camp fire entertainment on Wednesday evening, Feb. 15. The attractions will be America's greatest drummer boy, Maj. R. H. Hendershot, assisted by his son J. C. Hendershot and Miss Eva Johnson of the World's Fair choir and others. Tickets are for sale by the Sons of Veterans and can be reserved at Breyman's. Admission 15, 25, and 35 cents. The proceeds will be used for the purpose of equipping the camp with uniforms, guns, etc.

The editor sat on a hard-bottom chair, trying to think a thought, and he plunged all his fingers about through his hair, but not one topic they brought. He had written on temperance, tariff and trade and the prospects of making a crop, and joked about making ice cream and weak lemonade, till his readers had told him to stop. And weary of thinking, sleep came to his eyes and he pillowed his head on the desk, when the thoughts which awake had refused to arise, came in troops that were strong and grotesque. And as the ideas airy float, he selects the bright one of the tribe; and this is the gem which, while dreaming he wrote: "Now is the time to subscribe!"

The store of John Alberti is being arranged inside for a dry goods store. The contract for putting in the shelving and fixtures has been let to J. H. Kleyn. It will be finished in antique oak, all the latest design and is to be finished by March. The members of the firm are C. L. Streng of Montague, and H. P. Streng of Grand Rapids. An exclusive dry goods' stock will be kept, as fine as any in Grand Rapids and they hope to keep all of the trade instead of having a good share of it go to Grand Rapids. They come to stay and hope to earn the patronage deserved.

Do not forget the lecture next Monday evening.

Notice the ad of the new clothing store. It will interest you.

Rev. Dr. Beardslee will preach in the Third Ref. church next Sunday evening.

G. W. Mokma will take charge of his position as cashier at the First State Bank on Feb. 15.

Theological Student G. H. Dubbink preached in the Third Ref. church last Sunday evening.

The Rev. C. W. Ivie's Lecture on "Picturesque Holland" ought to draw a large crowd of our Holland citizens.

Fifty-five of the Columbian souvenir coins have been sold to curiosity seekers at the Holland City State Bank.

The Rev. C. W. Ivie of Kalamazoo will hold services in Grace Episcopal church next Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours.

A young Democrat made his appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Breyman Wednesday. Will's friends smoked Havanas that day.

A sixteen-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van Gelderen of Allendale, formerly residing near this city, died Wednesday of brain fever.

Rev. C. Van Goor of Gorinchem, Netherlands, has declined the call to the Ninth Street Holland Christian Reformed church of this city.

Marshal Van Ry arrested a tramp on the charge of being drunk yesterday, took him before squire H. D. Post and he was sent to the county jail for ten days.

Rev. E. Van der Vries of the Holland Christian Ref. church on Market street has declined the calls to the churches of that denomination at Muskegon and Roseland.

Rev. H. E. Dosker says he is in a lamentable state of mind regarding the call extended to him by the Zeeland congregation. He will give his decision next Sunday morning.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet at Mrs. T. M. Clark's next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Tea will be served at four, each lady forgetting her napkin will be fined five cents.

Ben Van Doesburg a young lad working at the basket factory of C. L. King & Co., had one of his fingers almost cut off Wednesday. The doctor says the finger will be saved if no inflammation sets in.

School District No. 9, so called Fifth ward, will hold a special meeting during April to submit the question of building an addition to the schoolhouse to the people of that district. The directors are getting estimates as to the probable cost of building an addition.

Last Tuesday morning the team hitched to Boone's bus started from the post office while the driver was in the office getting the mail sacks. Rev. Henry P. Dosker who was in the bus jumped out and running alongside caught the lines and stopped the team and probably prevented a smash-up.

One of the heaviest porkers brought in the city for some time was sold yesterday to the first ward meat man, Will Van der Veere, by Ed Boone of Zeeland. The hog weighed about 600 pounds dressed. Mr. Boone bought the animal last June and fed it himself. If you want some good fat pork call on Vander Veere.

Though catching on "boobs" is a great delight to the small boy and seems to be his principal occupation before and after school hours, no serious accidents have occurred so far this winter, but they are likely to occur at any time and some boy will be laid up with a broken leg or arm, or several fractured ribs. Besides, the practice is a nuisance.

Ed Sturm the would-be bank swindler has been heard from again. This time it is from Westville, Ind. He calls himself L. Kaufman there, took out a draft for \$1250 on the First State Bank here, and it seems had the confidence of the Westville bankers. Cashier Marsilje telegraphed to them immediately upon receiving the draft and Sturm, alias Kaufman, alias Swindler may find himself behind the bars some day.

Yesterday two Italian women each carrying an infant in her arms were peddling notions around town. The children were poorly clad and almost frozen by the severe cold. They were provided with tickets to Grand Rapids and put aboard the train as they claimed their home was there. To an officer who remarked to them that their children would die of the cold one of the women replied: "Me don't care if baby die."

Wednesday afternoon the house of John De Feyter about four miles north of the city burned to the ground. His wife who was sick abed was barely rescued and was obliged to go out in the snow barefooted. Everything was lost. Loss probably about \$500, no insurance. Mr. De Feyter says he filled up the stove with wood and then started to go to a patch of timber near by. Looking around he saw the house afire. He had just time to rescue his wife from the burning building.

A union meeting or convention of the societies of Christian Endeavor of the First, Third and Hope Ref. churches was held Tuesday evening at the Third Ref. church. A delegation of about 75 came from Zeeland to attend, returning by special train at about 11 o'clock. Addresses were made by Messrs. C. M. Steffens, Herman Vander Ploeg and H. S. Myers. Discussions were opened by Miss Johanna Van Ark and J. P. Winter. It was an enthusiastic meeting and another will be held in probably two months. The singing accompanied by cornetist P. Swart was excellent. A permanent organization of the societies is looked for.

One of our young business men seems to be rather absent-minded occasionally. The other day he helped to place a plate glass in the front of the store he would soon be occupying and after it was in place he deliberately tried to walk out of the building onto the sidewalk, forgetting or failing to notice the glass. He says he has not used anything stronger than tea or coffee either since New Year's day.

Be sure and attend the "Holland Lecture" next Monday night.

Owen C. Pearl the man who was arrested last week was brought here Wednesday, the case was discontinued and he was immediately re-arrested upon another charge—a more serious one it is believed. He has his trial at Grand Haven to-day.

The first part of the week the large plate front was placed in the new Ward block and by the way it was hustled along it was evident that something was coming. Dray loads of well filled boxes soon began to appear and were unloaded and the place soon developed in to a well-stocked clothing store. The well known firm of H. Stern & Co., who have stores at Kalamazoo, Allegan, Marcellus and Lawton are the proprietors and they are going to offer bargains in the clothing line. Read their ad in this issue.

What a queer idea some boys must have of what constitutes fun. A few days ago while in a business place at Grand Rapids we overheard the following conversation between two boys of about fifteen years: "I say, Jim, come down to our rooms some time, you'll enjoy it. Last Sunday night we had a great time; had about ten dollars worth of wine, cigarettes and beer up there. We smashed the door and one fellow had his eye blackened. We just had a picnic." The oaths which accompanied the conversation we of course omit.

PERSONAL.

Chris Den Herder and Ben Veneklaasen drove through town with their spirited bay team Monday.

H. Brower of the hustling firm of Klomparsens and Brower of Hamilton was in the city on business Monday.

Dr. C. C. Linsley, C. E. Siple, Wm. Webo, Wm. Burnett, and their wives, and Mrs. John Boyle of Hamilton attended the installation of officers of Rebekah Lodge here last Friday evening.

Mr. Flocken the Zeeland cheese manufacturer was in the city Monday. He expects to make a display at the World's Fair.

Fred Charter is home from Benton Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Walsh attended a party at Allegan last week Thursday evening given by Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Latta.

Samuel Bosch of East Holland was in the city on business Tuesday.

E. Van Der Veen has returned from a visit with his daughter Mrs. Rev. Van Zanten of Grand Haven.

D. J. Sluyter of Grand Rapids spent Sunday in this city.

Dr. and Mrs. Ingalls of Hartford are visiting their son in this city.

Geo. Ballard left for Canada to attend the funeral of his brother in law.

Miss Jo Brink returned to Belding Monday after a month's visit with her sister Mrs. P. Peterson.

Rev. Strong of Kalamazoo has been visiting friends here this week.

Joseph Stratton of Allegan and G. Rankans of Coopersville registered at the City Hotel Wednesday.

Attorney Peter J. Danhof of Grand Haven was in the city Wednesday on legal business.

Chris Den Herder of Zeeland was in Kalamazoo on business Wednesday.

H. Karsten of Zeeland made a business trip to Grand Rapids Wednesday.

G. P. Hummer, C. Blom, Sr., and L. Mulder were in Grand Rapids Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Huizinga visited friends in Zeeland Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Van Woerkom of Grand Haven is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. Kruidenier. Mr. Van Woerkom is expected here to-morrow.

Dr. A. Van der Veen and wife of Grand Haven, E. C. Dunbar, a Grand Haven vessel owner, and C. W. Shippey, a lumberman from Grand Haven, were guests in the New Livingston Monday.

Bear in mind, Pitton Bros. have received for spring their new muslin underwear and embroideries.

Soft coal, hard coal, all kinds of coal at Austin Harrington.

The Citizens' Meeting.

Last Tuesday evening in response to the call for a citizens' meeting, the opera house was crowded for the purpose of receiving and acting upon the report of the committee on revision of the city charter. Most of the amendments as published last week were favorably received. The proposition to have the marshal appointed by the mayor met with decided opposition and after considerable warm debate it was decided to strike that out and leave it as before—have the marshal elected by the people. A clause was also introduced, and a very good one, to restrict the duties of the marshal to police duties. Considerable stir was also made in regard to the electric lighting question and there was a decided feeling in favor of the city owning its own plant, both for commercial and street lighting and a resolution to that effect was unanimously passed. The question whether to pay the mayor a salary of \$100 per year and the aldermen each \$50 per year was also warmly discussed. A motion was made to pay the mayor and aldermen each \$1 at every regular session they attended, but the original proposition to pay the mayor \$100 and the aldermen each \$50 per year was finally passed. The proposition to give the mayor veto power on all questions was cut down to giving him the veto power on appropriations only.

Farmers Bring in Your Beans.

A car load of white beans wanted at Austin Harrington. Highest cash price paid.

Muslin Underwear, Silk Laces, Embroideries, new Silks, in all the newest weaves, will be shown at Pitton Bros. next week. Low prices prevail.

We keep the very largest and best assortment of trunks and valises there ever was brought in this city at Henderson.



One More Week Another Chance!

And positively the last chance to get your pictures taken for

99 CENTS PER DOZEN!

SPECIAL NOTICE!

The man to whom I sold my car is unable to get here before February 8th, consequently I will remain with the car all next week taking pictures. I wish to state also that I have a considerable amount of "Aristo Panel" cards and paper on hand and I will give one of those FREE with every dozen Cabinets, to any one having bust pictures or taken in groups. These Panels are a very pretty style and much larger than a cabinet. Call at the car and see samples of them.

Respectfully, W. A. BRADLEY.

Special Offer

For Next Week Only, to those ordering One Dozen Cabinets, bust pictures or taken in groups, we will give

ONE ARISTO PANEL FREE!

—AT THE—

PHOTOGRAPH CAR.

ANTI-OPTION PASSES.

THE SENATE ACCEPTS WASHBURN'S BILL.

Foreign Powers Must Not Control Hawaii—So Says President Harrison—Mad Dead of a Memphis Man—Who Will Succeed Brooks?

Washington's Bill Passes.

The Senate has passed Washburn's anti-option bill by a vote of 40 to 29. The measure now goes to the House, where a strong effort will be made by its opponents either to prevent its acceptance or change it to incorporate some of the features of the Hatch bill, which has already passed the House. Mr. Hatch is said to be willing to accept the Washburn bill entire, as if any attempt is made to change it, indefinite delay is sure to occur, with the possibility of defeat.

Will Protect Hawaii.

"We cannot allow any other country to take possession of Hawaii, and so long as I am President of the United States we shall not do so," President Harrison thus replied to a close personal friend who called on him to discuss the all-absorbing topic of the day. The President has not fully made up his mind on the question of annexation. He has an opinion based on the telegraphic reports, but nations do not act on reports except they be official. He said further: "In settling this Hawaiian question this Government has certain duties to discharge. It should discharge those duties without regard to the wishes of Great Britain or of any other power. In short, this government should act as if there was no other power in existence. My opinion is that we should guarantee to the provisional government a protectorate until we can make a careful examination into the whole affair. If we should find that the natives are qualified they should be allowed to vote on the question of annexation. I hear, however, that they are not qualified. If that be so, then we should, I think, endeavor to revive the old relations which ended with the dethronement of the Queen, but upon a permanent basis. If that be impractical or unsafe we should favor a permanent protectorate with the Queen nominally reinstated, and if that, too, be deemed unsafe, we should, without hesitation, annex the islands. At all events we cannot allow any other country to take possession of them, and so long as I am President of the United States we shall not do so."

BREVITIES.

OVER 1,000 people visited the unknown man found in the ice near Columbus, Ind., but no one can identify him.

OVERCOME by losses in financial transactions, William Drain Miller, a large property owner of Chapman, Kan., shot and killed himself.

WILLIE HARPER shot and fatally wounded Willie Lewis, at Cincinnati, Ohio. The boys, aged 15 and 16 years respectively, were playing duels.

THE Erie (Pa.) Car Company plant, which represents an investment of \$500,000, has been seized by the Sheriff on executions aggregating \$102,000.

ARTHUR POIL, a notorious desperado and horse-thief, was killed by a convict guard while making a daring attempt to escape from the Kansas penitentiary.

ADAM GOLLIDAY, aged 80 years, married a 40-year-old spinster two months ago, and he claims that his wife has taken \$200 of his money and departed.

FIRE broke out in the American Book Company's building at Cincinnati and spread through the block. The loss will exceed \$100,000, principally to the book company.

JEAN MURAT shot at an Albuquerque, N. M., policeman and hit a button on his undergarments, doing no harm. Cooper, the policeman, and a companion named Carsen then killed Murat.

Gov. WEIRTS, of New Jersey, has nominated William Walter Phelps, the present United States Minister to Germany, as a Judge of the State Court of Errors and Appeals. It is thought that Phelps will accept.

JUDGE EGBERTSON, of the United States District Court for South Dakota, is lying very ill at Sioux Falls. He was attacked by a sort of paralysis upon returning from St. Paul, where he had been holding court.

NEILS OLSEN, a Bridgeport, Conn., jeweler, found his sight deserting him and offered nightly prayer for relief. At a meeting the other night he announced to several hundred worshippers that his sight had been restored fully.

BERT WIDLAK, formerly chief clerk in the engineer's department of the Northern Pacific Road, is arrested at Tacoma, Wash., charged with defrauding the road by bolstering up the pay rolls in his care and drawing salary for a lot of imaginary men.

Rev. DR. HENRY Y. SATTERLEE, rector of Calvary Church, New York, and Rev. W. B. Huntington, rector of Grace Church, in that city, are prominently mentioned in connection with the Massachusetts Bishopric made vacant by the death of Bishop Brooks.

FRED SCHUMANN, cigar dealer at Memphis, Tenn., poisoned his two children, Lottie and Frederick, aged respectively 12 and 14 years, and then took poison himself. The children are dead and Schumann is dying. Reverses in business and melancholy on account of the death of his wife, leading to insanity, are the causes assigned for the act.

ST. LOUIS brewers have made another out of a dollar a barrel in the price of beer.

POLICE have found another case of typhus in a New York tenement occupied by twenty-two families, and great excitement prevails over the discovery.

HERMAN ZIMMERMAN, of Kansas City, aged 10, in trying to arouse his brother Peter, supposing a gun to be empty, placed a cap on it, pointed it at Peter's head and said: "Get up, or I'll shoot you." The gun was discharged and Peter fell dead.

EASTERN.

FIRE destroyed the Grand View Hotel at Fort Hamilton, N. Y. Loss, \$100,000.

EIGHTEEN Rochester (N. Y.) coal dealers have been indicted for conspiracy because they combined to raise prices.

JUDGE METZGER, of the Lycoming (Pa.) County Court, has rendered an opinion upholding the legality of the Reading combine.

THE Palace of Poverty, the palatial headquarters of the Knights of Labor at Philadelphia, was withdrawn from sale after \$71,000 had been bid for it.

SOME one attempted to wreck a New York Central express train at Tonawanda, N. Y. The train was turned into a switch and collided with some freight cars. No one was hurt.

A BILL has been introduced in the New York Assembly fixing telegraph rates at 15 cents for ten words to all distances and 4 cent for each additional word. Night messages are to go at the rate of twenty-five words for 15 cents.

BARON SCHULTZ, who was the husband of the once famous cantatrice, Lady Anna Bishop, and known fifteen years ago as a prince of good fellows, has just died of typhus fever at New York. He had squandered his fortune and was a tramp.

ATTORNEYS MARSHALL, BRENNAN and PORTER filed at Harrisburg the application for a new trial of Hugh F. Dempsey, convicted of poisoning Homestead steel-workers. The attorneys say material evidence has been discovered showing misconduct of certain jurors.

THERE still remain in the State of New York forty-one schoolhouses built within the last five years. The number of frame schoolhouses during the same period has decreased but one, the total number being 10,127, while the brick structures have increased 112, to a total of 1,523. The stone schoolhouses number 317, a decrease of forty-six in five years.

THE old Philadelphia liberty bell, that has become so famous the world over, will be sent to the World's Fair. All that is asked is a guarantee that it will be well protected from vandals. The Philadelphia Council's Committee on World's Fair considered the subject. It was recommended that the bell should be hung in the rotunda of the Pennsylvania State Building, and that it be suspended from a pulley for prompt removal in case of fire.

WESTERN.

PADEMAL PEAK, near Abiquin, N. M., is in eruption, after lying dormant since 1820.

THE California University Regents have elected Martin Kellogg permanent President of the university.

CHRIS FINK, a contractor of St. Louis County, Mo., shot and killed his son-in-law on account of family troubles.

CALIFORNIA is going to have statue at the World's Fair. It will be marble. The model will be Katie Brown, of Pasadena.

THE Receiver's report on the Lima, Ohio, National Bank shows that the creditors will realize about 70 cents on the dollar.

JESSE MATE, who killed Joseph Baughman in a bar-room fight at Osgood, Ohio, Friday night, was captured at Collett, Ind.

THE late Bishop Dwenger's funeral took place Thursday at Fort Wayne, Ind. There was a solemn requiem mass at the cathedral.

SOME counterfeiters' tools, supposed to belong to Hart, Fox, and McComb, alleged counterfeiters, were found near New Albany, Ind.

THE City Council of West Superior decided to offer \$65,000 as an inducement for the location of the sixth Normal School of Wisconsin.

THE Northwestern Lumberman's excursion train was derailed at Kent, Ill., and many were seriously hurt, one of whom will probably die.

JAMES DOWNS, a farmer living near Terre Haute, Ind., reached home with his skull badly fractured and soon died. It is thought that he was murdered.

THE literary societies of the University of Wisconsin have accepted a challenge from Michigan University to a joint debate to take place in March.

THE Supreme Court of Indiana denied the petition for a rehearing in the apportionment case. The Legislature will now have to make a newwp apportionment.

THE Western window glass manufacturers have formed a combine, with headquarters at Milwaukee, and will apply for a charter as the National Glass Company.

JOHN R. McFEE, the lawyer who decamped from Indianapolis, Ind., recently, leaving \$10,000 of forged notes behind, sent back an assignment in favor of his creditors.

In the Circuit Court in Valparaiso, Ind., Judge Gillett decided that a grand jury could not make demands upon bank officers for their books containing the names of depositors.

THE plant of the Webster Manufacturing Company at Menasha, Wis., was sold to Silas Bullard, and W. P. Rounds of Menasha for \$16,000. It will be fitted up as a factory for ruling fine paper.

MISS LOUISE M. CONLISK, of Toledo, Ohio, was engaged to be married to a young gentleman of that city, and the preparations were all completed. The marriage, it seems, was designed to please the young lady's mother more than herself. By arrangement Miss Conlisk met Mr. Boyd, another suitor, in Toledo, went to Findlay, and they were married at the house of Clyde Spear. They left for Chicago on their bridal trip, after telegraphing Mrs. Conlisk not to proceed further with the wedding arrangements.

AT 3 o'clock Friday afternoon the Bank of Waverly, Kan., was just preparing to close. Cashier Duval and Assistant Cashier Converse had already started to balance up the cash. Suddenly two masked men, leveling revolvers, compelled them to hold up their hands. One robber covered both with a brace of revolvers, while the other robbed the cash drawer and had gone into the vault when T. H. O'Neil, a merchant, entered.

Cashier Duval called out to him to run. The robber on guard dropped his aim and, turning, fled. The robber in the vault, grasping the situation, followed suit. In the meantime Merchant O'Neil had run from the bank and had given the alarm. Quickly mounting their horses in the alley in the rear of the bank, the robbers were just leaving; A. P. Ingelman, at the head of three or four men, ran down the alley on foot. One of the robbers, turning quickly in his saddle, raised his revolver and fired. The bullet struck Ingelman over the heart and piercing his body produced instant death. The robbers heading their horses west soon left the town behind. A mounted posse, however, was soon on the trail. Two miles from Lebo the robbers were captured after their horses had been shot from under them.

SOUTHERN.

THE reign of King Cotton began in Augusta, Ga., with the inauguration of the carnival festivities.

HALF a dozen negroes are in jail at Fort Monroe, Va., charged with conspiring to burn the town.

ARKANSAS has discovered the absence of \$50,000 worth of State bond coupons, and will investigate the matter.

THE upper house of the Alabama Assembly, by a vote of 17 to 15, refused to pass a bill granting a pension of \$500 per year to the widow of Jefferson Davis.

H. F. NICHOLS, ex-town marshal, was shot and killed at Dyersburg, Tenn., by a man named Butler. Butler escaped.

A BALTIMORE man paid five cents to ride on a cable train. After going half a block the train stopped and the conductor refused to refund the nickel. The passenger sued and has been awarded judgment for \$5 and costs.

WASHINGTON.

THE Navy Department has refused to make payment of the Chilean indemnity to any one except the sailors of the Baltimore themselves and—in case of the two deceased sailors—to their legal heirs. As far as the department officials are concerned, the beneficiaries will be under no obligations to pay attorney fees. The department considers the indemnity in the nature of a present to the injured sailors and not as the payment of the claims originally filed in the State Department by a San Francisco lawyer. The sum of \$10,000 each is the amount recommended by the naval board to be allotted to the legal heirs of the two deceased sailors. This leaves \$55,000 to be distributed among the other sailors.

THE President issued the following proclamation immediately after the death of Mr. Blaine:

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON. It is my painful duty to announce to the people of the United States the death of James Gillespie Blaine, which occurred this day Friday at 11 o'clock. For a full generation this eminent citizen has occupied a conspicuous and influential position in the nation. His first public service was in the Legislature of his State. Afterwards for fourteen years he was a member of the National House of Representatives, and was three times chosen its Speaker. In 1876 he was elected to that Senate. He resigned his seat in that body in 1881 to accept the position of Secretary of State in the cabinet of President Garfield. His genius has added new lustre to the cabinet and devoted himself to literary work, giving to the public in his "Twenty Years of Congress" a most valuable and enduring contribution to our political literature. In March, 1892, he again became Secretary of State, and continued to exercise this office until June, 1892. His devotion to the public interests, his marked ability, and his exalted patriotism have won for him the gratitude and affection of his countrymen and the admiration of the world. In the varied pursuits of legislation, diplomacy and literature his genius has added new lustre to American citizenship. As a suitable expression of the national approval of his great public services and of the general sorrow caused by his death, I direct that, on the day of his funeral, all the departments of the executive branch of the Government at Washington be closed, and that on all public buildings throughout the United States the national flag be displayed at half-staff, and that, for a period of thirty days, the Department of State be draped in mourning.

By the President: BENJAMIN HARRISON, JOHN W. FOSTER, Secretary of State.

POLITICAL.

MR. HARRITY denies that he has been offered the Postmaster General's portfolio in Cleveland's Cabinet.

THE Republican caucus of the United States Senate has voted to favor the admission to statehood of Oklahoma, Utah and New Mexico, but left Arizona out in the cold.

At a meeting of Populists, at Los Angeles, Cal., resolutions were adopted denouncing Congressman-elect Cannon and Assemblyman T. J. Kerns, of Los Angeles, as traitors, and formally reading them out of the party. This action was taken because Kerns voted for White (Dem.) for United States Senator, when, as the Populists claim, he was pledged to vote for their candidate.

GEN. EDWARD B. BRAGG, the defeated Wisconsin Senatorial candidate, is again an aspirant for the Mexican mission, the same position he held under Cleveland's previous administration. The Mexican mission pays a salary of \$17,500 a year. General Bragg was appointed Minister to Mexico early in 1883 by President Cleveland, and held the office until after the inauguration of President Harrison.

ON the 31st ballot the deadlock was broken in the Wisconsin Senatorial struggle at Madison, Thursday, by the nomination in Democratic caucus of Congressman Mitchell, of Milwaukee. Bragg's support wavered, three of his adherents going to Mitchell, and twelve of Knight's followers cast their votes for the Cream City statesman. The result was a great surprise, for Mitchell's chances had been regarded worthless for many days. The final vote was Mitchell, 46; Bragg, 32; Knight, 1.

A McFEE was made Wednesday by the Democrats in the Senate and Populists in the House of the Kansas Legislature which removes the Senatorial fight from Topeka to Washington, and will probably result in a settlement of the dispute concerning the organization of the Legislature. By a vote of 86 to 6, in which the Republican Senators did not participate, John Martin, of Topeka, was named for the United States Senate. Before the result was announced Senator Baker, Republican, asked that he be permitted to have his record recorded. The presiding officer said: "The Senator is too late with his request; the vote has been counted and will be announced." This ruling and the fact that nine of the Populist Representatives hold contested seats in the ground upon which the Republicans will contest Mar-

tin's seat, Martin is a Democrat, and is elected to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Plumb, which does not expire until March 4, 1895.

FOREIGN.

THIRTY miners were killed and scores injured by an explosion in the Tarischritt mine at Dux, Austria.

YELLOW FEVER has broken out in Ecuador, and a quarantine has been established against that country.

AN explosion took place in a coal mine at Tokod, near Grauth, Austria, Friday morning. Fire broke out immediately. About 150 men were in the mine at the time. The shaft was not impaired, but the cage was sent down at once. The bodies of nineteen men who had been killed by the shock were found near the bottom of the shaft and were brought up. The cage went down again, but returned, as the smoke was so dense that the rescuing party were unable to remain below. The whole party were unconscious when they reached the top. About 150 men are still in the mine.

THE French press continues to display deep indignation regarding the attitude assumed by England in Egypt. The Debates says that the action of England in Egypt is a direct provocation to France and that Great Britain must explain her intentions. The Figaro says that France ought to retaliate for England's course by occupying Tanziar. The Republique Francaise declares that Europe will not allow the khedive to become a blind vassal of England. A dispatch to the London Exchange Telegraph Company says that France has asked the British government for an explanation as to the increase of the British army of occupation in Egypt.

THE Queen of the Sandwich Islands has been deposed, a provisional government formed, and Saturday morning a deputation arrived from there at San Francisco, en route to Washington, to negotiate with the United States for annexation. One United States war vessel was in Honolulu harbor when the revolt took place, and landed 300 marines, taking such measures as were necessary to protect American residents and prevent riotous outbreak. Immediately upon receipt of the news at the State Department, two more United States war vessels were ordered to the scene, and the general impression, induced by utterances at Washington, is that the Hawaiian kingdom will soon be a part of the United States.

IN GENERAL.

BISHOP WIGGER, of Newark, who recently had a little trouble with Father Corrigan, has been summoned to appear before Mr. Satolli to answer to charges of publicly fostering Cahenslyism.

THE patent infringement case of George W. Brown, inventor of the corn planter, against the Keystone Manufacturing Company, has been settled. The case has been in litigation for nineteen years.

THE Catholic population of the United States is 8,806,095, with 14 archbishops, 75 bishops, 9,397 priests, 8,477 churches, 3,485 stations, 1,763 chapels, 36 seminaries, 127 colleges, 657 academies and 3,587 parochial schools. There are 26,533 orphans cared for in 245 orphan asylums, besides which there are 463 other charitable institutions.

R. G. DUN & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

There has been some increase in the distribution of products during the last week, and the demand for manufactured goods is distinctly larger, so that business has perceptibly improved at many points. Yet the output of gold, expected to exceed \$3,000,000 this week, reduces treasury reserves, causes increased nervousness about the future, and renders men more reluctant to engage in new undertakings. The liquidation of some great speculations has set free large amounts, so that money everywhere is comparatively easy and cheap, but nevertheless there is no sense of uncertainty about the future than appeared a month ago.

BRADSTREET'S report says: Available supplies of wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increased 1,750,000 bushels, an extraordinarily large quantity at this season of the year. About 4,650,000 bushels have been accumulated by one Northwestern elevator company within a month, in addition to its other supplies; but this additional amount was not included in last week's increases of stocks, because it represented four or five weeks' accumulations. Exports of wheat, both coasts, equal 2,531,000 bushels, against 3,557,000 bushels in the week a year ago, and 2,093,000 two years ago.

THE MARKETS.

CATTLE—Common to Prime.....	\$2.25	@	6.25
HOGS—Shipping Grades.....	3.00	@	7.25
SHEEP—Fair to Choice.....	3.50	@	8.25
WHEAT—No. 2 Spring.....	74 1/2	@	77 1/2
CORN—No. 2.....	44	@	45
OATS—No. 2.....	31	@	32
RYE—No. 2.....	52	@	53
BUTTER—Choice Creamery.....	51	@	52
EGGS—Fresh.....	28	@	29
POTATOES—New, per bu.....	65	@	75
INDIANAPOLIS.			
CATTLE—Shipping.....	3.25	@	5.50
HOGS—Choice Light.....	4.00	@	7.75
SHEEP—Common to Prime.....	3.50	@	7.25
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	67	@	68
CORN—No. 2 White.....	40	@	41
OATS—No. 2 White.....	35 1/2	@	36 1/2
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE.....	5.00	@	5.25
HOGS.....	3.00	@	8.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	.68	@	.69
CORN—No. 2.....	.44	@	.45
OATS—No. 2.....	.32	@	.33
RYE—No. 2.....	.43	@	.44
CINCINNATI.			
CATTLE.....	3.00	@	5.25
HOGS.....	3.00	@	7.25
SHEEP.....	3.00	@	5.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	.72	@	.73
CORN—No. 2.....	.42	@	.43
OATS—No. 2.....	.32	@	.33
RYE—No. 2.....	.43	@	.44
DETROIT.			
CATTLE.....	3.00	@	4.75
HOGS.....	4.00	@	7.50
SHEEP.....	3.00	@	4.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	.72 1/2	@	.73 1/2
CORN—No. 2 Yellow.....	.44	@	.45
OATS—No. 2 White.....	35 1/2	@	36 1/2
TOLEDO.			
WHEAT—No. 2.....	.72 1/2	@	.73 1/2
CORN—No. 2 White.....	.43	@	.44
OATS—No. 2 White.....	.35	@	.36
RYE.....	.57	@	.59
BUFFALO.			
CATTLE—Common to Prime.....	3.00	@	5.25
HOGS—Best Grades.....	4.00	@	8.00
WHEAT—No. 1 Hard.....	78	@	79
CORN—No. 2 Yellow.....	44	@	46
MILWAUKEE.			
WHEAT—No. 2 Spring.....	.66	@	.67
CORN—No. 2.....	.44	@	.45
OATS—No. 2 White.....	.34	@	.35
RYE—No. 1.....	.59	@	.61
BALTIMORE—No. 2.....	.63	@	.65
PORTLAND—Mess.....	12.25	@	12.75
NEW YORK.			
CATTLE.....	3.00	@	5.75
HOGS.....	3.00	@	8.00
SHEEP.....	3.00	@	5.75
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	.80	@	.81
CORN—No. 2.....	.44	@	.45
OATS—Mixed Western.....	.34	@	.35
RYE—Best.....	.52	@	.53
POKE—New Mess.....	12.25	@	12.75

KILLED BY FOUL GASES.

UNTIMELY DEATH OF DAVENPORT PEOPLE.

Two Frenchmen Scratch Each Other with Swords to Repair Damaged Honor—Great British Protests Against Annexation of Hawaii by the United States.

Deadly Gas at Davenport.

THE death of two well-known Davenport, Iowa, citizens by asphyxiation, the narrow escape of four others, and an explosion in the largest store in town, Monday, have failed of a satisfactory explanation. Whether the cause was illuminating gas, sewer gas or coal gas is under consideration by the coroner's jury. The dead are: Louis Franklin and Charles C. Rapp. A working girl found her store, No. 211 Main street, closed, and while looking for the cause went up-stairs. There she found Mrs. Phil Damm, the proprietor, two children and a domestic stupefied in their beds. They were taken out into the fresh air and were soon beyond danger, except the children. Two hours later it was learned that the occupants of an adjoining room had not been seen. The door was forced. On the bed was one lifeless body and on the floor another, partially dressed. The former was Louis Franklin. He lived in Davenport and was a traveling salesman for Hart & Co., gentlemen's furnisiers, of Chicago. The latter was Charles C. Rapp, formerly traveling agent for a Chicago house, but later a clerk in a local store. The sewer on Main street was examined and was found to be full of illuminating gas. It is ascertained that there was enough gas in the sewer to cause an explosion if a lighted match had been dropped. In the Petersen Block, next north of where the fatal accident occurred, while trying to locate the cause of the odor of gas, an explosion occurred. It is feared that a main has burst and that the deadly gas is finding its way to the surface, where the resistance from frost is least. Stores and offices a block away from the scene of the deaths were charged with gas.

Will Control Hawaii.

THE annexation feeling at Washington is on the increase. The news of the Hawaiian revolution came so suddenly that the members of Congress were unable to take a survey of the situation before expressing their opinion. But since then the importance of the islands, both for purposes of defense and commerce, have become appreciated. What has had a particularly stimulating influence on the public mind is the tone of the British press. For instance, the London Telegraph, which has the largest circulation of the London papers, says editorially that "Great Britain cannot permit the United States to annex Hawaii." If anything is calculated to raise the spirit of annexation such a remark is, and it is noticed that members who opposed the idea now openly declare that the islands must be annexed.

"They Fought Vindictively."

FRENCH Deputies, Deroulede and Pichon, fought a duel with swords Monday afternoon. The duel was the result of an insult offered by Deroulede to Pichon in the Chamber of Deputies Saturday, when Deroulede called out to Pichon: "You are M. Herz' sleeping partner." Swords were the weapons, and the two men fought with much vindictiveness, Pichon, who is a collaborator with M. Clemenceau on La Justice, being evidently anxious to injure Deroulede. The latter succeeded in wounding Pichon seriously in the ribs, while Deroulede himself received a scratch from Pichon's sword in the face. The seconds then declared honor satisfied, and Pichon's wound received immediate attention. Deroulede was warmly congratulated by his friends.

Laid to Rest.

WITH no pomp nor pageantry but simple, affecting services in which the sympathies of the whole American people seemed deeply but quietly enlisted, the remains of America's greatest statesman, James G. Blaine, were carried from his late home in Washington to the church in which he worshipped and afterward borne away by a solemn cortege to his grave on a sunny slope at Oak Hill Cemetery.

NEWS NUGGETS.

THE Portsmouth (Ohio) Wheel Works were burned, causing a loss of \$100,000. THIRTEEN wagons of gold are on the way from Siberia across the Ural Mountains to St. Petersburg.

THE strike at the Brooks locomotive works is ended beyond doubt. The strikers themselves acknowledge that their case is hopeless.

THE Los has begun to roar. The British Government has instructed Sir Julian Pauncefote, its Washington Minister, to protest against the action of the United States officials and forces in Hawaii.

A TERRIBLE explosion occurred at the Delhi fireworks plant in Ruding, a suburb, eleven miles from Cincinnati. The charging house was completely shattered and blazing timbers shot into the air, setting fire to the surrounding buildings. One man was instantly killed and fifty were injured, one fatally. The cause of the explosion is not known. The men and women employed in the charging house had been at work but a short time when the powder let go. The works are owned by the Consolidated Fireworks Company of North America, of New York. Fifty persons were employed at the plant.

THE boiler in Stewart's factory, in the western portion of Pontiac, Mich., exploded about 7 o'clock in the morning and destroyed the entire works. Four men were seriously bruised and injured. Had the explosion occurred fifteen minutes later the loss of life would have been great.

GEN. JAMES S. CLARKSON is seriously ill with inflammatory rheumatism and malaria at New York.

MAJ. GEN. SAMUEL SPRING CARROLL, U. S. A., retired, has died at Washington. He was 61 years old.

It is now estimated that the deep water canal proposed to run from Lake Superior to Lake Erie will cost \$500,000. The canal would be 345 miles in length, have thirty locks, and a large number of costly aqueducts. The canal will have to be 30 feet deep and 300 feet wide.

THE NATIONAL SOLONS.

SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Our National Lawmakers and What They Are Doing for the Good of the Country—Various Measures Proposed, Discussed, and Acted Upon.

Doings of Congress.

Early Tuesday a communication from Chief Justice Fuller of the Supreme Court to the Vice President, announcing the death of Justice Lamar, was laid before the Senate. Messrs. W

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The Best Salve in the world for cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. Its use is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. Walsh, Holland, A. De Krulff Zeeland.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Rheumatism:
We have the exclusive agency in this city and vicinity for the sale of the celebrated Franco-German Rheumatic Ring. Price \$2.00. Money refunded in 30 days if you receive no benefit. Ask to see it. Beware of imitations. By buying of us you are sure of getting the genuine. We give a written guarantee with every ring. Ask for a circular telling all about them, sent free by mail on request.

OTTO BREYMAN & SON,
Holland, Mich.

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became a woman, she clung to Castoria.
When she had children, she gave them Castoria.

Teeth extracted without pain by the administration of vitalized air at the Central Dental Parlors.

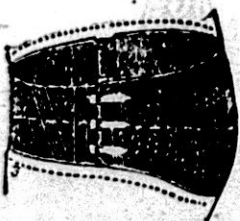
FOR FAT FOLKS.

Dr. Edison's Famous PILLS AND BANDS AND OBESITY FRUIT SALT reduce your weight without dieting; cures the causes of obesity, such as dyspepsia, rheumatism, nervousness, catarrh, kidney trouble; keeps you healthy, and beautifies the complexion.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE
I again write you to say I have lost 13 pounds, making 42 pounds lost in 10 weeks by using 4 bottles of Dr. Edison's Obesity Pills and wearing his Obesity Band.

Very truly yours, CHARLES H. KING.
Prof. HALE, Chicago University, writes to the Chicago Herald, Sept. 18, 1892: "Compulsive men, should pay some attention to reducing their weight. When a man is troubled with rheumatism, dyspepsia, kidney trouble or nervousness the reducing of weight is slower, until the Obesity Pills have cured the disease that caused obesity. The pills soften and beautify the skin of the face."

I am at liberty to cite a case in point. Under my advice Mr. Armour used an Edison Obesity Band and 3 bottles of Pills and lost 29 pounds in 6 weeks. Other patients have been equally successful.



Lieut. G. A. SCOTT, Revenue Cutter Hamlin, writes to the Correspondence Department of the New York Sunday World:

Three years ago I weighed 268 pounds, but after using Dr. Edison's popular Obesity Pills and Salts I reduced to 169 pounds and easily keep at this weight. I saw how much other correspondents of your valuable papers were benefited and wished to give the Dr.'s treatment a trial.

Dr. Edison's Obesity Fruit Salt is the best and simplest remedy for regulating the action of the liver that has been discovered. The printed formula on the label of the Fruit Salts shows their value to sufferers from excessive fat or flesh.

Sold by druggists.
Band measure at numbers 1,2,3. Price \$2.50 to 36 inches, and 10 cents extra for each additional inch.
Pills \$1.50 a bottle or three bottles for \$4.00, enough for one treatment.
Obesity Fruit Salt \$1.00 per bottle.

You can buy the Pills, Bands and Salt direct from our stores, or by mail or express.

Correspondence and goods forwarded in plain, sealed package.

NOTICE. Dr. Edison's Electric Belts and Finger Rings are sold at our stores. Send for our special Electric-Belt Circular, sealed.

Electric Belts \$1.00 and up. Insoles 50c. per pair.

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2222 Hamilton Place, Boston, Mass.
40 A2 West 22nd St., New York City.
Cut this out and keep it, and send for our full (eight column) article on Obesity.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of payment of a certain mortgage executed by George H. Cathcart and Lydia Cathcart, his wife, of the city of Holland, Ottawa County, Michigan, to the Holland City State Bank (corporation of same place, dated December fourteenth A. D. 1891, and duly recorded on December twenty-third, A. D. 1891, in the office of the register of deeds of Ottawa county, Michigan, in Liber 38 of mortgages, page 488, by which default the power of sale in said mortgage has become operative, and upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of Eleven Hundred and Ninety Dollars, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; Notice is, therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public vendue of the mortgaged premises therein described, or so much thereof as is necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage at the date of sale and costs of foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for by said mortgage and by law. Said sale to take place at the front door of the Ottawa County court-house at Grand Haven, Michigan, on the

Eighteenth Day of March A. D. 1893, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day. The mortgaged premises to be sold being: Those certain parcels of land situate in the city of Holland, county of Ottawa and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Lot numbered six (6) in Block numbered sixty-five (65), also that part of lot seven (7) in block sixty-five (65) which is bounded on the north and west sides by the north, south and west lines of said lot seven (7) and on the east side by a line running parallel with the west line of said lot and ninety-four and one-half (94½) feet east therefrom, all according to the record map of said city (formerly village) of Holland of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa county.
Dated December 22nd, 1892 (dec 22 mar 17)
THE HOLLAND CITY STATE BANK
J. C. POST, Attorney. Mortgage.

REBELLION IN HAWAII.

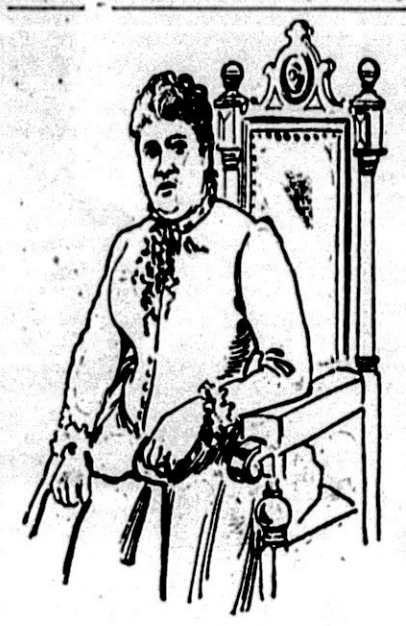
THE KANAKA GOVERNMENT IS OVERTHROWN.

The Queen Deposed Without Bloodshed and Foreigners Are in Control—A Delegation Comes to the United States to Ask for Annexation.

Monarchy Abrogated.

Little Hawaii's turbulent history has come to a climax. Queen Liliuokalani has been deposed and four citizens, two of them Hawaiians of American parentage, one an American, and one a Scotchman, are in charge of the provisional government which has replaced the island monarchy. The overthrow of the government was accomplished without bloodshed or violence, and was the work of a few hours. The crisis came as a bolt from the blue sky, though those who knew and feared the dusky Queen's intrigues were not wholly surprised.

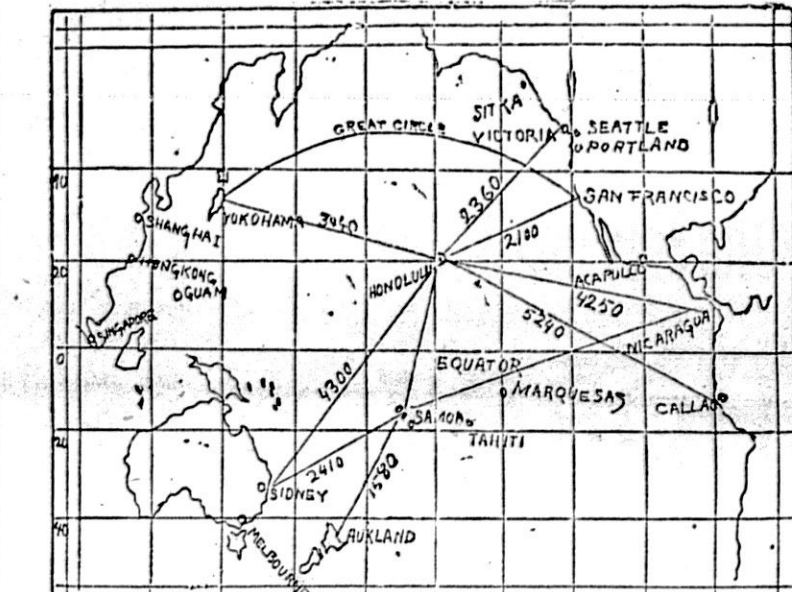
Mail advices via the steamship Claudine to San Francisco say that the revolt began on the forenoon of Saturday, Jan. 14, and by the following Tuesday



DEPOSED QUEEN LILIUOKALANI

afternoon it was ended. The four men who rule the islands are: Sanford B. Dole, in charge of the Department of Foreign Affairs; P. C. Jones, Finance; James A. King, Department of the Interior; William G. Smith, Attorney General. They were appointed by a citizens' committee of thirteen, to which the people gave entire control of the government.

The deposed Queen at last accounts was in her private residence in Honolulu, and at her own request was under an honorary guard of sixteen men. The palace stands empty, and in place of



HAWAII, THE CROSS-ROADS OF THE PACIFIC.

the native household guards companies of volunteer citizens occupy the barracks.

From Monday, Jan. 16, 300 marines and sailors from the United States cruiser Boston have been ashore under arms to protect the United States Legation and Consulate and the lives and property of American citizens.

Five Commissioners were dispatched Wednesday to the United States to ask this government to annex Hawaii. The Commissioners are: Lorrin A. Thurston, Chairman, who was Premier of the first Revolutionary Cabinet of Hawaii in 1888; William C. Wilder, head of the Wilder Steamship Company, which does a transportation business among the islands; William R. Castle, a lawyer who is largely interested in real estate in the islands; Joseph Marsden, a sugar planter; Charles I. Carter, the son of a former Hawaiian Minister to Washington.

How the Revolution Began.

The Queen attempted Saturday, Jan. 14, to promulgate a new constitution, depriving foreigners of the right of franchise and abrogating the existing House of Nobles, and at the same time giving her the power of appointing a new House. This was resisted by the foreign element of the community, which at once appointed a Committee of Safety of thirteen members, who called a mass meeting of their class, at which 1,200 to 1,500 were present. That meeting adopted resolutions condemning the action of the Queen, and authorizing the committee to take into further consideration whatever was necessary to protect the public safety.

Monday the Committee of Public Safety issued a proclamation to the Hawaiian people recounting the history of the islands and calling attention to the misrule of the native line of monarchs. The Queen, in an address from an upper balcony to crowds outside the palace, denounced what she called the perfidy of the ministry. Representative White, from the steps of the palace, told the crowd that the Queen had betrayed them, and demanded her death. It was at this juncture that the Committee of Public Safety was formed, and shortly afterward troops were landed from the United States steamer Oston. The armed uprising of citizens and the proclamation of a provisional government followed. The ex-Queen, seeing resistance was hopeless, retired to her private residence, where a guard was stationed by the new government.

There was no bloodshed. Annexation to the United States as a territory is desired, not as a state. The Boston is the only warship the United States has at present on the Pacific Ocean, but a late dispatch from San Francisco says that the United States flagship Mohican is now on her way to Honolulu and the Ranger and Adams are expected to

immediately leave the Mare Island Navy Yard for the scene of revolt.

BURIAL OF MR. BLAINE.

Thousands Pay Homage to the Memory of the Dead Statesman.

America through its highest dignitaries has paid the last tribute of respect to the remains of James G. Blaine, says a Washington correspondent. Every effort was made to comply with the wish of the dead and his family and make the funeral a private one, but the surging wave of public interest swept over the barriers imposed and made his private funeral one of the most impressive of public demonstrations in honor of the dead. The most eminent men in the nation stood around his bier. All business in the nation's capital was suspended while the funeral services were in progress. The presence of the President and his cabinet and Supreme Judges and high officials of Congress and of the diplomatic corps was not more significant than the homage of the waiting crowds who in respectful silence lined the streets through which the funeral cortege passed.

The body of the late ex-Secretary was removed Sunday evening at 5 o'clock and placed in the parlor on the north side of the second floor of the Blaine residence. The windows of this room open out upon Lafayette Square, one of the most beautiful spots in Washington. Across this plot of ground stands the State, War and Navy Building, where the dead man achieved his latest triumphs in statecraft and diplomacy. During the afternoon and evening a number of Mr. Blaine's friends called at the house and took a last look upon the face of the departed. The expression of the face was peaceful, and the lineaments of that well-known countenance showed but few traces of the ravages of the disease that carried him off.

Services at the House.

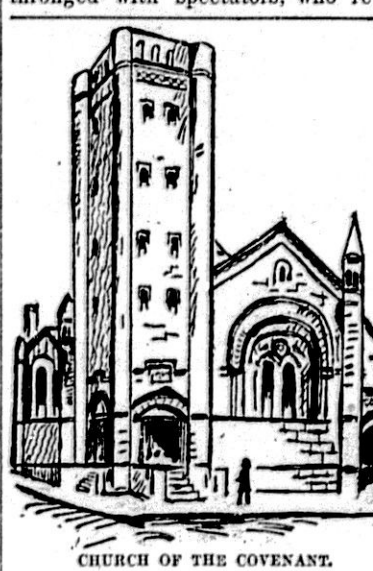
The ceremonies inside the house were impressively simple. Before the hour of 10 the invited guests began to arrive and take their seats in the front part of the mansion. There were no chairs reserved, except for the President and for the immediate family of the deceased. Eleven o'clock was the hour named for the simple service of prayer which was to precede the removal of the body to the church for the more public rites. It was only a few minutes after that hour when the mourners entered, and the President and all the distinguished concourse rose to pay fitting honor and sympathy to the sorrow of the deceased statesman's relatives. The family was followed by Rev. Dr. Hamlin of the Church of the Covenant, who, standing beside the casket, in a low tone delivered the Presbyterian service for the departed soul. As he did so, Walter Damrosch touched the keys of the



CHURCH OF THE COVENANT.

piano to a slow dirge, and the scene was an impressive one. Dr. Hamlin returned thanks to God that by his power this life was ended only that the life of immortality might be begun. He besought the Almighty that comfort might come to every member of the stricken household, because the one that had gone out of this life had gone to immortality. Let the consolation that came from above fall tenderly and sweetly upon them. "Speak to them words of comfort such as Thou alone can teach. This we ask in the name of our Saviour, amen."

This completed the brief and impressive services, and the casket was closed and tenderly borne to the hearse. Solemnly and in silence the family and the mourning guests left the house which has been so frequently invaded by the angel of death, and the procession wended its way slowly to the church. Outside the house the street was thronged with spectators, who rever-



ently doffed their hats as the pall-bearers deposited their sacred burden in the hearse, and while the attendants temporarily buried it under a mass of flowers as could be placed there. The cortege then started for the church.

The interior of the church was appropriately draped; all about the pulpit and chair rail were banded huge masses of flowers, below which the casket rested. The services, which were brief, were delayed somewhat by the rush of the people in the street preventing the mourners from getting into their seats on time. At 1:30 the funeral procession took up its march to Oak Hill Cemetery, in Georgetown, where the body was interred beside those of the dead man's son Walker and his daughter, Mrs. Coppinger.

Mr. Blaine left a will bestowing all of his property upon Mrs. Blaine, and making her sole executrix without bonds. The total value of the estate is estimated at \$900,000.

THE WEEK AT LANSING

WHAT THE LEGISLATURE IS DOING.

An Impartial Record of the Work Accomplished by Those Who Make Our Laws—How the Time Has Been Occupied During the Past Week.

The Law-Makers.

In the House Monday evening bills were introduced as follows: By Mr. Chamberlain: Prohibiting the sale of liquors from "bumboats" on the waters of the State. By Mr. Batley: A joint resolution for a constitutional amendment looking to a State, county and township highway system. Bills noticed: To enlarge the powers of the Village Board of Watersmeet in Gogebic County. A general bill for organization of companies for furnishing gas, electric, and other lights in cities and villages; for organization of the township of Covert, in Benzie County; repealing the act making an annual appropriation of \$5,000 for the care of sick soldiers in Harper's Hospital, Detroit. They will be cared for hereafter at the Soldiers' Home Hospital. Also, a bill abolishing the present State Military Board, and constituting the Adjutant, Quartermaster and Inspector General as such board. The Senate passed a highly eulogistic concurrent resolution upon the death of the Hon. James G. Blaine, which was also unanimously adopted by the House.

Representative Sumner Tuesday introduced in the Legislature a new bill re-portioning the Congressional districts of the State. In the Senate a concurrent resolution asking Congress to submit to the people a constitutional amendment providing for the election of United States Senators by the people was laid upon the table. The bill repealing the Minor electoral law, which passed the Senate before the vacation, was reported favorably by the House judiciary committee, and has been made a special order.

THE FUNNY AUCTIONEER.

On One Occasion He Was Brought to See the Serious Side of a Case.

"I was called on once to sell by auction a lot of household furniture belonging to a man and his wife who had been married four or five years," said an auctioneer in a reminiscent mood. "All I knew about it was that a death somewhere necessitated their removal from my town, and, as they had no money, they were compelled to sell their effects to get enough to move on. Well, I was having a picnic in my young and foolish way, guffing and bantering and making brilliant and witty side remarks on the articles as they came under the hammer. After I had disposed of a lot of stuff a cradle was put up. There were several young men of my acquaintance in the crowd, and I smiled at them as I turned the cradle round and began to rock it, humming a lullaby as I did so. 'Empty is the cradle, baby's gone,' I said, and was going on to say something else to get a laugh, when I happened to look down into the face of a woman close to the platform I was standing on. She was dressed in faded black, evidently given her by some woman larger than she was, and there was a look in her eyes that made me stop.

"She didn't speak, but as I stopped she looked up at me with the tears starting, and lifting her hands in a mute appeal of remonstrance no word could describe, she gave a great sob of agony and turned away.

"'I didn't know,' was all I could stammer in apology. And I didn't know that it was her baby's cradle I was selling, and because the cradle was empty her heart was broken and she could no longer live in the house that the baby had left.

"No, I didn't know, nor did the crowd, but they all did pretty soon, and I told them a story that had no fun in it for any heart there, but it took just the same and I got \$150 for that cradle before I was done with it, and then gave it back to the poor young mother."

A MULE THAT REMEMBERED.

She Tried to Punish the Boy Who Had Fired Her Stable.

"Last summer some of our toy mule drivers asked me to let them off the next day so they could go to a game of base-ball," said a Lackawanna Valley coal operator, "and I told them they could not go. They quit work, however. When the fire boss went down the shaft the next morning he found one of the mules braying near the foot of the shaft. She was badly burned in the left hip and shoulder, and I the fire boss found the mule barn, fifty yards from the foot of the shaft, had been set on fire. Fanny had yanked her halter in two, kicked the door down and ran to the shaft for air.

That afternoon I went down the shaft to see how Fanny was getting along. While I was there the thirteen base-ball loving youngsters got the engineer to let them down the shaft. They wanted to see me about going to work in their old places the next day. Fanny was standing without any halter on, and when the boys spread out in a row to talk to me the mule gave a glance along the faces, uttered a bray of anger and made a vicious lunge at the last boy but two from the right end of the row. The lads yelled and scattered, but the mule kept after the one she had picked out, paying no attention to the others. She chased him through the gangway to the foot of the shaft in spite of me, and before I could get to her she had bitten the boys shoulders till the blood came through his clothing. Fanny had undoubtedly seen the boy set fire to the barn and she meant to get even. That was the first time the mule had been the least bit fierce, and her evidence of the incendiary was convincing to me, though I could not use it against him in court."

Insects and Numbers.

As indicating the power of insects to understand numbers, an English scientist states that the females of a species of saw-fly, among whom the males are of considerably smaller size than the other sex, regularly assign to the egg from which the larva of the male is to emerge only five little wounded caterpillars for the nourishment of the larva, while they give to the egg which contains a female saw-fly ten such caterpillars.

Electrical Progress.

The Brazil cable was laid and put in working order in 1873.
The sixth Atlantic cable was laid by the Great Eastern in 1874.
Gramme's magneto-electric machine was brought to perfection in 1875.
The Faraday, built for cable work, was launched and fitted out in 1874.
In 1875 the number of messages in Great Britain amounted to 20,000,000.
Electricity proved to exist in certain kinds of fish by Cavendish in 1773.
The electric light was first used for photography by Van der Weyde in 1876.

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

NEWS OF THE WEEK CONCISELY CONDENSED.

Burned by Blazing Varnish—Strange Accident Kills a Grand Rapids Boy—Barn, Cattle and Family Burned—She Deserved a Divorce.

Record of the Week.

THERE are a number of cases of scarlet fever at Bridgeport.
A NUMBER of cases of scarlet fever are reported from Kewadin.

ABOUT 75,000 tons of ice will be cut out of Clam Lake, near Cadillac.

The old settlers of Grand Rapids will hold their annual reunion Feb. 18.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY people will erect a \$2,000 soldiers' monument at Howell. MONTCALM people are talking of erecting a soldier's monument at Big Rapids.

MRS. PEARL MUNROE of Muskegon Heights, has become totally blind from a recent illness.

COL. A. T. BLISS, of Saginaw, has purchased 7,020 acres of timber lands in Gladwin County.

HOWARD CITY people are trying to raise \$1,500 for a table factory, which is to employ 75 men.

CHARLES RICE stole a coat from the Y. M. C. A. Rooms at Grand Rapids. Two years on Ionia.

A VICIOUS ram smashed several ribs for Wm. Beach of East Campbell, and otherwise injured him.

PROBATE JUDGE NELSON, of Manistee, is spending the winter in Mexico on account of poor health.

A FULTON man has received \$1,200 from New York friends, asking him to send all the clover seed he could.

JOHN MILLER, a Muskegon County farmer, charged with theft, spent \$1,500 for his defense. Nevertheless, he goes to Ionia.

ANN PELTON, a 2-year-old Howard City girl, was terribly hurt by falling with her back on a spindle used for filing papers.

THE Michigan Masonic Grand Lodge closed its communication at Saginaw after appropriating \$3,000 for a home at Grand Rapids.

WHILE Martin Hitzelberger, of St. Joe, was at work his beloved better half packed up the furniture and left for more congenial climes.

THE disbarment of D. J. McCarthy, a Grand Rapids lawyer, may be removed. A committee of the bar association say he isn't as bad as they thought he was.

It isn't the proper paper for "lady" convicts to be kept in the same prison with men. That's what Grand Rapids political equality people said the other day.

CADILLAC boys have been in the habit of going to Manton whenever they want to go on a tear. Officers of the latter town are now beginning to jug them.

REV. MR. McALPINE of Charlotte, is going to sell his horses, harness—in fact, the whole rigging. Hereafter he will charge the devil's legion infantry fashion.

ANNA NIEMAN, a keeper of a Grand Rapids dive, was arrested on a charge of offering for immoral purposes her daughters Lizzie and May, aged 14 and 11, respectively.

DAVID FISHER, a Grand Rapids fiddler, was arrested the other day. It is said that the "concord of sweet sounds" got the better of his judgment and that he stole a \$50 violin.

TANNEKE SHANDERS, a Grand Rapids woman, has applied for a divorce. She says her husband is a miser, hiding his money, forgetting the hiding-places, and then accusing her of stealing it.

FRANK HALL, a 14-year-old Grand Rapids boy, tucked into the leg of his trousers a piece of a fishing rod. He fell and the rod entered his abdomen, penetrating his intestines. He died of his injuries.

THE snow has become so deep in the woods near East Jordan that the Nelson Hoop Co. will not try to get their usual supply of about 2,000,000 feet of elm with which to stock their factory at South Arm for the coming summer.

AN Ionia youth the other evening wanted to take a certain girl to a concert. He will never again try it. The young bud's mother informed him that she always accompanied her daughter as chaperone, and that evening they gave him a taste of mother-in-lawism.

JOHN GALL's large barn, at North Akron, was burned together with nine head of cattle, twenty-seven sheep and three horses. In trying to save some of the animals a young son of GALL was trampled upon and badly hurt by them. His parents, in trying to rescue him from the burning building, were themselves badly burned.

TWO MEN were at work at Wahl's brewery at Monroe, varnishing the inside of a 12-gallon cask. The lamp they were using for lighting the cask was dropped and it exploded, setting the varnish on fire. One of the men reached the man-hole first, but his companion, John Myers, had to wait and was severely burned, the flesh coming off in many places when the clothing was removed.

A MAYBE man says that the recent meteor struck him.

THE D. L. & N. R. R. is making preparations to erect a mammoth fire-proof potato warehouse at Edmore.

MUSKEGON G. A. R. men have adopted resolutions endorsing Louis Kanitz for State Department Commander.

IN having only 16 fire alarms in the past year Owosso considers herself lucky. Eleven of these were false alarms.

A WAR is now going on between the butchers of Owosso. They are cutting rates. The public are wishing they continue it.

IRON COUNTY capitalists are building a hotel at Chicago for the accommodation of Upper Peninsula visitors at the World's Fair.

E. L. PRATT and Edward Unicorn, of Clare, are cutting 2,500,000 feet of hardwood near Beaverton. They have a camp of fifty men.

BY an almost unanimous vote Grand Haven decided to bond herself for \$15,000 to assist the county in building a \$50,000 court house.

AN 8-year-old son of Mrs. Nancy Bennett, of Portland, Ore., arrived at Mapleton, Grand Traverse County, having made the trip unattended.

AT Golden, a 2-year-old daughter of George Renouff was terribly scalded by falling into a pail of hot water. It is thought that she will lose one hand.

If you are troubled with Rheumatism it will pay you to get one of these Franco-German Rings. It costs but \$2.00 and is sold under a guarantee to refund the money if no benefit is received within 30 days. These rings are sold only by Otto Breyman & Son. Ask for a circular describing them.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

ANIBA HOUSE

Rates reduced to only \$1.00 per day.

Good table and accommodations for the traveling public and for boarders.

Near the C. & W. M. Depot.

R. A. MINIELY, Prop'r.

Central Drug Store.

H. KREMERR, M. D., Prop'r.

—A FULL LINE OF—

Pure Drugs, Chemicals, Soaps, Perfumery, Toilet Articles, &c.

—ALSO A FULL LINE OF—

Imported and Domestic Cigars.

H. KREMERS, M. D., keeps his office at the store where calls will be received and promptly attended to.
Office hours, 8 to 9 A. M., and 3 to 5 P. M.

JUST A MOMENT!

PLEASE.

I want to call your attention to the delicious fruit which we are selling.

Oranges from Sunny Florida!

Nutritious Bananas!

Lemons, for Your Pies!

Cranberries, for Your Sauce!

Sweet Potatoes, Canned Goods, Figs

DATES, ETC.

OR IF YOU WANT

WHITE BREAD,

RYE BREAD,

GRAHAM BREAD,

Cakes, Pies, Candies, Nuts, Cigars

then call at the

City Bakery

OF

JOHN PESSINK,

Eighth Street, Holland, Mich.

Walking Shoes--

All kinds and prices.

School Shoes--

Wet and cold weather will soon be here. The boys and girls must be provided with good comfortable footwear. Bad shoes and wet feet go together, with sickness following.

Plow Shoes--

Just the thing to wear when plowing. Easy to wear, strong and cheap.

Rubber Goods--

A full assortment; all prices.

SLIPPERS--

To suit everyone.

Fine Repairing a specialty.

Be sure and call and inspect our stock.

A. HELLENTAL,

FIRST WARD, EIGHTH STREET, HOLLAND, MICH.

Blacksmith

—AND—

Repair Shop.

The undersigned has opened a blacksmith shop in the place formerly occupied by Henry Visser on South River Street. Horse-shoeing, Job Work, and all repairing promptly attended to at reasonable prices. I will be happy to meet my friends, acquaintances and new customers at my place of business.

THE HAWAIIAN REVOLUTION.

The peaceable revolution which has taken place in the Sandwich Islands is what has long seemed inevitable to those who have followed most carefully the course of events in that locality. All that is best and most progressive in the islands has long been Americanized and the native government has been endured and tolerated chiefly because it prudently accepted the condition of affairs and was willing to exist in actual subordination to American ideas, if the semblance of supremacy could be maintained. Naturally there were those of the natives who chafed at this and they have always had the support of foreigners jealous of American influence and control. Just as naturally these have sought to re-establish the old-time domination of the native forces, and the result is shown by the dispatches received by our daily papers. The real power in the country has asserted itself, won a bloodless victory and now asks the United States government to take the islands into the sisterhood of states.

What course this government should pursue is not quite clear, diplomatically speaking, but the hope of most thoughtful citizens will be that a way may be found to accede to the annexation proffer that has been made. While the policy of the country has never been one of aggrandizement and while nobody would have justified effort to acquire the islands by underhand means, still less by force, it would be a mistake to reject them, when they beg for the privilege of being absorbed. The annexation of the islands would be a great blessing to them and in many ways valuable to this country. It has long been the dream of the enthusiasts and has almost as long been seriously urged by practical men as an exceedingly desirable step. The opportunity now presented is a favorable one and it is to be hoped that no hindrance will be found in the matter.

Painting the World's Fair Buildings.

The painting and decorating of the vast interiors of the great exhibition halls at Chicago is an enormous undertaking. Frank Millet is the artist in charge. A recent estimate of the area to be covered with paint showed that it would be impossible to set enough men at work with brushes to complete the task in time for the opening of the fair. Mr. Millet thereupon contrived a machine for doing the work. It consists of a piece of gas pipe flattened at one end to make a "spray." From this a rubber hose connects with an air pump driven by an electric motor, and beyond this is a barrel of paint. The pump sucks paint from the barrel and the air jet sprays the paint with force upon the surface to be coated. Four workmen with this mechanism can accomplish more in a day than a small army of painters could in a week.

CATHOLIC STATISTICS.

The Directory of '93 Shows a Population of 8,406,095.

New York, Jan. 26.—Advance sheets of the official Catholic directory for 1893 have just been issued. The Catholic population is given as 8,406,095, to whom spiritual guidance is given by 14 archbishops, 75 bishops and 9,397 priests, of whom 6,954 are secular, and 243 are regular priests. There are 877 churches, 3,485 stations and 1,763 chapels. The 1,184 students for the secular priesthood are educated in 36 seminaries. There are 129 colleges, 657 academies and 3,587 parochial schools; 728,729 children attend the parochial schools, 26,583 orphans are cared for in 245 orphan asylums, besides which there are 463 other charitable institutions.

The senior proprietor of this paper has been subject to frequent colds for some years, which were sure to lay him up if not doctored at once. He finds that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is reliable. It opens the secretions, relieves the lungs, and restores the system to a healthy condition. If freely used as soon as the cold has been contracted, and before it has become settled in the system, it greatly lessens the attack and often cures in a single day what would otherwise have been a severe cold.—Northwestern Hotel Reporter, Des Moines, Iowa, 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by H. Walsh, Druggist.

BEANS!

Highest market prices paid for a car load of white beans. Bring them in. Austin Harrington.

First annual sale of muslin underwear and embroideries at Pitton Bros. next week. See ad on 8th page.

A Wonder of the World!

Our Native Herb is a purifier of the blood. And when that is accomplished your diseases are obliterated and it will cure the diseases here mentioned or help you as no other medicine has ever done, or money refunded. Such as rheumatism, kidney disorders, liver complaint, sick and nervous headache, neuralgia, dyspepsia, fever and ague, scrofula, female complaints, erysipelas, nervous affections, catarrh and all syphilitic diseases. 200 days treatment for \$1. For sale by WALDO PALMER, Agent, Sand Lake, Mich., or at the store of Boot & Kramer, Holland.

Soft Coal.

Soft coal for domestic use at Austin Harrington.

Fine white overalls, underwear and hosiery. Extra value for the money at Henderson.

We have a few more fine Jackets that we are closing out at cost.

NOTIER & VERSCHURE.

No better stock in the city.

H. WYKHUYSEN.

V. M. C. A. Notes.

The attendance at the reading room and meetings during last week was 451. The previous week 374. The Sunday afternoon gospel meeting was an interesting one, with 110 young men present. The social on Monday evening was a complete success. The rooms were crowded during the whole evening. The musical and literary program from 8 to 9 o'clock was well received. The boys and girls taking part all received enthusiastic applause.

Nearly 300 persons were present. The supply of coffee and cake held out until the last one was fed, but it was a close call for the refreshment committee's coffee-pot. There will be another of these pleasant socials in a short time.

The following newspapers and magazines are now on the tables of the reading room:

Magazines—Harpers, Scribners, Century, Cosmopolitan, Wide-Awake, Review of Reviews, Frank Leslie's.

Weeklies—Scientific American, Harper's Weekly, Independent, Youth's Companion, Christian Union, Advocate, Arkansas Traveller, Holland City News, Ottawa County Times, Allegan Gazette, Grand Haven Herald, Grandwet, Hope, Wachter, Hollander.

Dailies—Inter-Ocean, Chicago Herald, Chicago Tribune, Detroit Free Press, Evening News, Evening Journal, Grand Rapids Democrat, Grand Rapids Press, New York Tribune, Mail and Express, Herald.

The reading room is free to all and is open every afternoon and evening during the week. The above publications have nearly all been contributed by friends. The secretary desires to add Puck, Judge, Harper's Young People, Outing and St. Nicholas and will be pleased to have any friends contribute them.

Contributions to the work of the association have been made during the past week by Hon. K. Schaddelee, W. W. Mills, Miss Sue Martin, and the ladies of the W. C. T. U., to all of whom the society extends its heartfelt thanks.

S. O. T. A.

The South Ottawa Teachers' association will meet in Hudsonville school-house, Saturday, February 11, 1892, at 10:30 a. m., when the following program will be carried out:

1. Devotional Exercises.
2. Reading of Minutes.
3. Grube Method, 2nd year.....J. H. PETRIE.
4. General Discussion and Questions.
5. Morals in Our Public Schools.....CHAS. BACON.
6. Discussion—L. B. HESLEY.
7. What Does It Mean to Comprehend the Number "Five"?.....PAUL R. COSTER.
8. Discussion—G. D. COOK.
9. Reading and Recitation.....MISS VAN DEN BERG.

Wedding Anniversary.

Next Monday, Feb. 6, Mr. and Mrs. C. Schaap of East Holland will celebrate the fortieth anniversary of their wedding. A cordial invitation is extended to all their relatives and friends to call on them on the afternoon of that day from 2 to 5 o'clock.

A GOOD RECORD. "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for ten years," says druggist E. B. Legg of Vail, Iowa, "and have always warranted it and never had a bottle returned. During the past 90 days I have sold twelve dozen and it has given perfect satisfaction in every instance." It does not dry up a cough, but loosens and relieves it. It will cure a severe cold in less time than any other treatment. 25 cent, 50 cent, and \$1 bottles for sale by H. Walsh, Druggist.

BALED HAY AND STRAW.

If you want hay or straw call on me and get some that is put up in bales. It is not as bulky to store and just what you want. Wm. Swift, Eighth St. In store formerly occupied by W. H. Beach.

Men's and boy's trousers a great assortment at a very low price. L. Henderson.

Bear in mind, we are closing out all our winter goods at a great loss to make room for our new spring goods. PITTON BROS.

A carload of white beans wanted for which Austin Harrington will pay the highest cash price.

A splendid line of fall and winter overcoats at bottom figures at the merchant tailors Bosman Bros., Eighth St.

Silk or other umbrellas, a large and elegant line at Henderson.

Fine Holland herring, halibut, mackerel, and stockfish at

NOTIER & VERSCHURE.

Children Cry for

Pitcher's Castoria.

The best 35-cent coffee for 30 cents at Notier & Verschure. Try a sample and you will buy no other.

Good prices paid for stave and heading bolts at the old Fixter stave factory. For particulars enquire at the store of NOTIER & VERSCHURE.

Leather coats, the very best, cheap at Henderson.

FARM AND GARDEN SEEDS.

We have always on hand a select stock of grass and clover seeds, grains and garden seeds. Farmers, we can supply you. Wm. Swift, Eighth St. In store formerly occupied by W. H. Beach.

Coal.

Coal of all kinds at Austin Harrington.

Try our 30-cent coffee and you will find it of better quality than that for which you have to pay 35 cents at other places. NOTIER & VERSCHURE.

The largest and best assortment of hats, caps, gloves and mittens at Henderson.

Men's suits, boy's suits, children's suits; cheap at Henderson.

Great bargains in shawls, cloaks, jackets and all winter goods at Notier & Verschure.

Rubber goods a large assortment at Henderson.

SOFT COAL!

For domestic use order Jackson Hill soft coal of Austin Harrington.

Common sense teaches us to deal fair

H. WYKHUYSEN.



LOOK AT THE SIZE of the ordinary pill. Think of all the trouble and disturbance that it causes you. Wouldn't you welcome something easier to take, and easier in its ways, if at the same time it did you more good? That is the case with Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They're the smallest in size, the mildest in action, but the most thorough and far-reaching in results. They follow nature's methods, and they give help that lasts. Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, Sick and Bilious Headaches, and all derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels are promptly relieved and permanently cured.

"If we can't cure your Catarrh, no matter how bad your case or of how long standing, we'll pay you \$500 in cash." That is what is promised by the proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. Doesn't it prove, better than any words could, that this is a remedy that cures Catarrh? Costs only 50 cents.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters advertised for the week ending Feb. 2, 1893, at the Holland, Mich., post office: Mr. H. Molenwijk, Mr. Frank McNeil, Mr. Louis Wallraff, G. J. VAN DUREN, P. M.

The new firm of LOKKER & RUTGERS in the west end of the Notier & Ver Schure block, are selling ready-made clothing, hats and caps, boots and shoes and gents' furnishing goods at greatly reduced prices. Give them a call.

Lodgers and Boarders WANTED!

Accommodations for ten lodgers or boarders at

Mrs. E. A. Seebart

FOURTEENTH STREET.

Or enquire at office of James Huntley, corner Tenth and River street.

No Dissatisfied Characters Need Apply.

THE HENDERSON SHOE

HAS COME TO STAY.

YOU WILL WANT A PAIR.

WHY? BECAUSE THEY ARE

PERFECT IN STYLE

PERFECT IN FIT

PERFECT IN QUALITY

PERFECT IN PRICE

Henderson's Shoes for Men.

Henderson's Shoes for Ladies.

Henderson's Shoes for Children

And many other leading makes,

But our Leader is the Henderson \$3 Shoe.

AN ELEGANT LINE OF SLIPPERS

AT ALL PRICES.

A COMPLETE LINE OF

RUBBERS AND RUBBER BOOTS

SIMON SPRIETSMA

EIGHTH STREET, HOLLAND.

CHANCERY SALE.

State of Michigan—The Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa—in Chancery.

RACHEL SMITH, Complainant,

vs. DUDLEY E. CUNNINGHAM, SOPHRONIA E. CUNNINGHAM, FRANK J. LAMB, MARY L. LAMB, HANNAH A. JONES and ELLEN E. CHAMBERLIN, Defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the circuit court of the county of Ottawa, in chancery, made in the above entitled cause on the Eleventh day of April, A. D. 1892, Notice is hereby given that on the

Twenty-Seventh Day of February, A. D. 1893, at one o'clock, afternoon of said day, at the front door of the court-house in the city of Grand Haven, Michigan, said court-house being the place of holding the circuit court in said county of Ottawa, I, the undersigned, a circuit court commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the lands and premises described in said decree, being, all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate and being in the township of Georgetown, in the county of Ottawa and State of Michigan and described as follows, to-wit: The north-east quarter of the north-west quarter of section thirty-three (33) in township six (6) north of range thirteen (13) west and containing forty (40) acres, more or less, according to the Government survey.

Dated January 11, 1893.

JOHN C. POST, Circuit Court Commissioner, Ottawa County, Mich.

FALLASS & SWARTHOOT, Complainants' Solicitors.

FOR SALE! HOUSE AND FINE LOT

—ON THE SOUTH-WEST CORNER OF—

TWELFTH & MARKET STREETS

MRS. SCHOLTEN.

Enquire at the house of Henry

Vegter, north-east corner of

Market and Twelfth Streets.

PHOTOGRAPHS!

I have all of the negatives made here by B. P. Higgins and F. E. Payne and anyone wanting duplicates made from these can get them at my gallery on River St.

First-Class Work at

Reasonable Prices!

Bring in your wife, children, uncles, aunts, your sister, or somebody else's sister, and come yourself. We will make you a good picture!

FRANK BERTSCH.

Gallery on River Street, over Vissers & Son's grocery.

ECONOMY MARKET

KUITE BROS.

Sirloin and Other Steaks.

Pork Chops and Other Chops.

Boneless Ham and Other Ham.

MUTTON,

SAUSAGES,

DRIED BEEF,

OYSTERS in Bulk

POULTRY,

VEGETABLES.

Everything in Season.

OUR STANDARD:

Reasonable Prices,

Just Treatment,

and Choice Meats.

ECONOMY MARKET.

EIGHTH STREET,

KUITE BROS., Prop'rs.

Also proprietors strictly cash market on South River street.

WEDDINGS!

THEY WILL NEVER STOP.

Therefore we must carry a large stock of

PRESENTATION

ARTICLES

Suitable for them and all

ANNIVERSARY

OCCASIONS!

NO FANCY PRICES!

The oldest established jewelry house in the city.

Otto Breyman & Son

Cor. Eighth and Market.

HORSE SHOEING

IS MADE A SPECIALTY AT THE

SHOP OF

JOHN KAMPS,

ZEELAND, MICH.,

One door east of I. Ver Lee's

Book Store.

REPAIR-WORK

of all kinds promptly

attended to.

HORSES SHOED

with the proper weight

of shoes.

WE KEEP ON HAND

all the different styles

and shapes.

Now is Your Chance

TO BUY A SEWING MACHINE

CHEAPER THAN EVER!

We are closing out our entire stock of Sewing Machines

AT COST!

As we are going to discontinue that part of our business.

If you are in need of a Sewing Machine you can buy it at your own price.

Will sell our entire stock, together with a nice pair of small horses and a wagon, good as new. Will also assign territory to party purchasing entire stock.

Good reason for selling.

Zeeland Art Gallery,

ZEELAND, MICH.

G. TROMP, Prop'r.

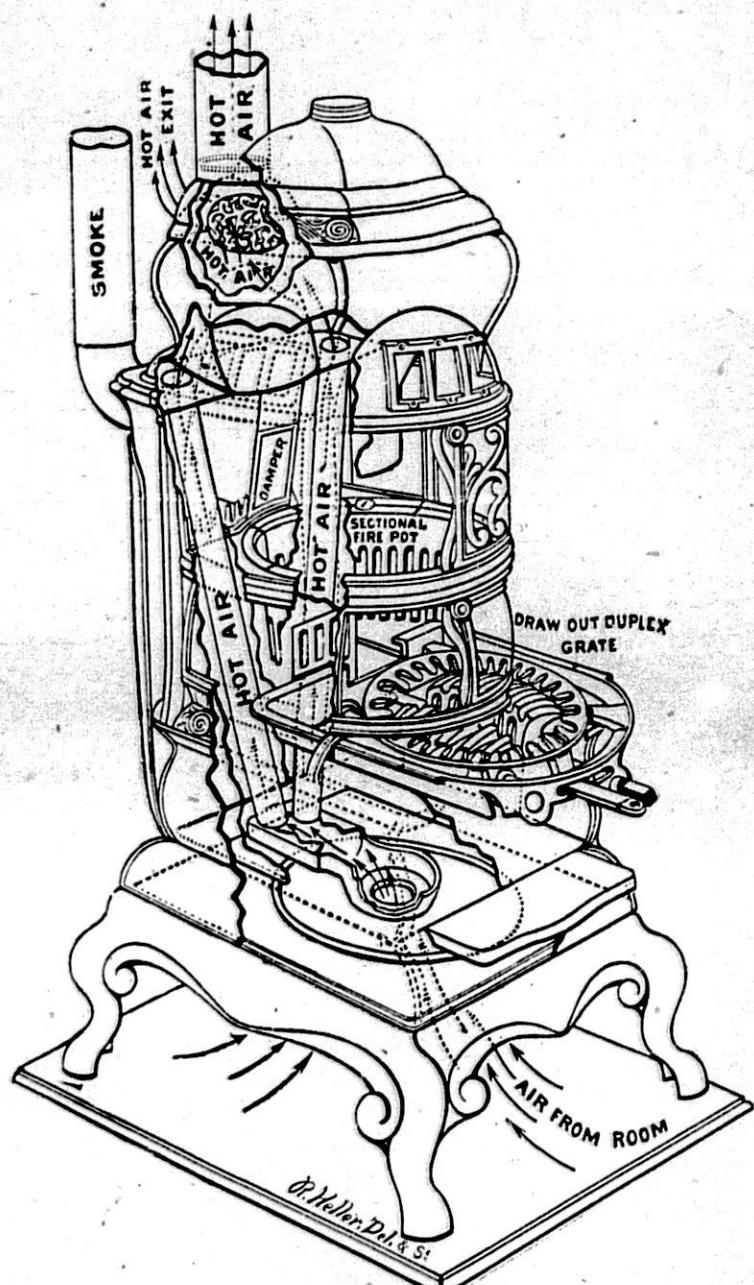
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This stove has inaugurated a complete revolution in the construction of antracite coal-burning parlor stoves.



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A room warmed by the "Ideal" contains a pleasant and healthful atmosphere.

From actual tests this heater shows a saving of 30 per cent in oil consumption over others for the same amount of heat produced.

The above stoves are for sale in Holland only by

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So far as it pertains to the comfortable and, if desired, luxurious furnishings of the home, we offer you many suggestions regarding the "fads" of the season, as exemplified by our stock, although such suggestions will be better understood by a visit to our warerooms.

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Will be found this season as usual at Bosman Brothers. Our tailor made clothing compares with any made to order wear. If you are seeking a "swell suit" or overcoat we've got 'em. If you want something modest and genteel we can suit you. You can always depend on getting full value for your money on anything you buy of us. Our children's department is the pride of our store.

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IT WILL BE DIFFERENT AFTER CHRISTMAS IF I GET A BISSELL CARPET SWEEPER

If Furniture you wish to buy Of quality extremely high One you certainly ought to try Because on him you can rely; Not in the whole United States Such stock the purchaser awaits, To find where prices are so very low It's to J. De Graaf's furniture store you ought to go.

Don't matter at what time of night I will then turn on the light. It used to be that people poor Had much privation to endure, Because they never could secure A decent lot of furniture. But now whoever meditates, House furnishing at lowest rates, My prices are to suit you all When at J. De Graaf's furniture store you call.

No matter what you want to get, A BEDROOM SUIT or PARLOR SET, A BRUSSEL CARPET or MOQUET, The purchase you will not regret, So working men can estimate Where goods are good and low the rate; I now invite you one and all, Even for paper on the wall, And J. De GRAAF's is the place to call. For Book Cases, Chiffoniers, Sideboards and Wall Pockets, Curtains, Poles, Trimmings & Sockets, And Carpet Sweepers you ought to buy And stop the dust through rooms to fly. For your wife will be glad if you'll present her A Bissel furniture protector. And always with success you'll meet When you buy of J. De Graaf on River Street.

A splendid lot of jackets lately received which are offered at a very low figure by Mrs. M. Bertsch.

No high prices on the list. Why not save your money and buy at H. WYKHUYSEN.

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At prices that cannot be improved upon in Grand Rapids or anywhere.

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I have just received a splendid stock of

Glassware,

Porcelain,

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You will find my place headquarters for the

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OUR NEW

Fall Opening

—OF—

STOVES

With the approach of Winter the wise husband and housewife begin to think of their needs in the way of

STOVES

and while in this mood we desire to converse with you on this subject.

FIRST:—

We have one of the finest selections of Stoves in the market, comprising wood, hard and soft coal, surface burners and base heaters. In the way of an Oak stove we lead the procession.

SECOND:—

Every stove is new and direct from the factory. Not a stove on the floor but was bought this fall, insuring all the latest patterns and most modern appliances.

THIRD:—

If you are not particularly interested in a heating stove, perhaps it is a Cook Stove or Range you would most like; we have them—the best in the market.

FOURTH:—

We guarantee prices on all stoves to be lower than elsewhere, when size and quality of stove is considered, and cordially invite you to call and verify our statements.

FIFTH:— The World's Argand Base Burner, for a direct heater, economy and perfect operation, takes the lead.

Stoves from \$10 to \$40

J. B. Van Oort,

Eighth Street.

CORRESPONDENCE.

HAMILTON.

The Hamilton graded schools will give an entertainment this week Friday evening at Kimber's Hall, the program consisting of plays, farces, tableaux, etc. Among the plays are "Hans Von Smash" and "Too much of a good thing." Much time has been spent in practicing and a good time is expected. Excellent music will be furnished, both vocal and instrumental. Admission only 25c. All turn out and have a good time.

John Kolywood and C. Ilg have returned last Monday from a two days' stay at the county seat, where they had gone to write up the new grist mill. Mr. Kolywood says building will be pushed rapidly and wheat buying commenced soon. The sharp competition between two first-class mills will bring farmers this way.

The new hardware store opened last week and is doing a good business. Mr. Strabbing has bought a nice stock of hard- and tinware at bottom prices and people are surprised at the unusual low prices for which he is selling. Farmers begin to realize that Hamilton is the place to do their trading.

Klomparsens and Brower are laying up a good supply of ice for next summer. They contemplate keeping fresh meat during the warm season. They expect to get in their spring line of clothing soon which will be the finest ever brought to Hamilton. New goods are arriving almost daily and in order to make room they contemplate a 60-days' clearance sale when prices will be cut open. Watch for their ad in the Times.

The Hamilton creamery is doing excellent work and is turning out from 1200 to 2000 pounds of butter a week and are gaining every day. They have a large capacity and want more farmers bring their milk. Those that patronize it are well satisfied. The boys are nice accommodating fellows and well worthy of your patronage.

Sheriff Stratton was in town on business Tuesday. Mamie Sheffield was home on a visit last Sunday.

EAST SAUGATUCK.

G. Klomparsens is around pressing and shipping hay.

Helen Hartger who works in Grand Rapids paid her parents a short visit last Saturday.

Hannah Gretzinger left for Holland and Grand Rapids Monday morning.

John Lubbers is visiting relatives in Grand Rapids and Vriesland.

Rev. Keizer has again resumed the work with his Bible classes in the various schools.

Tickets are out for the entertainment of the Hamilton graded schools to be held at Hamilton Friday evening, Feb. 3rd.

When Tuesday evening comes around The E. S. people may be found Around the North-church singing school.

O' what a time, and O' what fun Those youngsters have in going home. Through all the week their minds are set On Tuesday evening's fun, you bet.

GRAAFSCHAP.

J. Ensing died Tuesday afternoon from a complicated disorder after several weeks illness, aged 74 years. He was an elder in the H. C. R. church here and known by all as a broad-minded christian gentleman and upright citizen whose loss will be severely felt in this community. Funeral services Friday. We understand his widow will make her future home with children in Grand Haven.

Mrs. H. Bekman and Mrs. John J. Rutgers are spending a few weeks in Grand Rapids.

Gerrit Ensing and Mrs. J. Vedder of Grand Haven were called to Graafschap to attend the funeral of their father J. Ensing.

John M. Knol goes to Holland to work in the tub factory next week.

Farmers are busy hauling ice now-days.

The Zeeland Mission Conference was attended last week by Graafschap parties with much pleasure and profit.

A Communication.

For the Ottawa County Times:—

Often we hear the remarks, will our authorities ever awake to the fact that Holland is a city and order the construction of sewerage, electric lights, the opening of obstructed streets, building of sidewalks etc.

For years our outgoing and incoming mayors have made sewerage the theme of their messages, urging upon the council its necessity, the benefits of which cannot be estimated in dollars and cents. Nothing done—preliminaries for electric lights were commenced a year ago yet through carelessness and neglect we find ourselves no nearer the object and much less cash. We believe electric lights like our waterworks can be made self sustaining. Our streets are obstructed and without sidewalks in many places, making them unsightly and inconvenient. We respectfully ask is there any justice in compelling the citizen on one side of the street to construct a sidewalk at his own expense for the whole traveling public while those on the opposite side go free. If just and right, would it not be proper once in ten or fifteen years, to flip over and give the other fellows a chance to foot the bills. Nor is this system confined to the back streets. River street has long stretches where no side walks ever existed or if so at a period so remote the present generation have no knowledge thereof, and lumber, lath, shingle, wood and merchandise block the way. The same may be said of Cedar, Seventh and others. What is the matter gentlemen, are you afraid to tackle men of wealth and influence or do they belong to the ring, or are your eyes so constructed you cannot see great obstacles in the heart of the city, yet so you instantly observe—in the remotest parts of the corporation—a broken plank, a barrel of ashes, a load of gravel or sodding to fill holes or cover drifting sands, and always call a halt, or a few squirts of water from the hose on window, stoop, carpet flowers or shade trees calls for shut-off water and a fine. Shame shame.

Now gentlemen put on your spectacles and look things square in the face. Give more heed to the demands of the people and deal justly with all classes. If your make up is such you cannot do otherwise shut down and out, for the righteous indignation of a progressive people will not endure forever.

CITIZEN.

Ladies and Misses corsets and waists for all ages at Pitton Bros.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

In Neighboring Towns.

The Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. of Muskegon are engaged in a novel contest of the sexes—six young ladies driving nauts vs. six young men sewing on buttons.

The Zeeland Furniture factory is rushed with orders. Business has been so brisk the past season that another factory will probably be put up in connection with the present one.

Robert Blain felled a large elm tree in Dorr township a few days ago and found that it was a bee tree with fifteen gallons of honey in it.

The Furniture Association at Grand Rapids have reconsidered their former action and will make a display at the World's Fair, though the space allotted them is not large enough or in the right place to do the furniture exhibit justice.

The Hamilton graded school will give an entertainment at Kimber's Hall Friday evening, Feb. 3rd. Programme consists of plays, farces, tableaux, vocal and instrumental music, etc.

Senator Garvelink of Fillmore and Representative Henry of Saugatuck have given notice of a bill to repeal the law concerning the collection of farm statistics. Senator Garvelink is also preparing a bill embodying a plan for the formation of a new institution for the feeble-minded. It will be remembered that both governors in their messages recommended such an institution.

A few days ago while J. G. Boyes of Pine Plains was cutting some timber, he struck a bee tree from which he took 50 pounds of honey.

Charles Thew, attorney at Saugatuck, formerly student at Hope College, was married last week Thursday to Miss Nellie Devine of Grand Rapids. Charles is enjoying a good law practice at Saugatuck.

Capt. T. W. Kirby of Grand Haven will send his two tugs Elk and Deer to Alpena the coming season to fish in Lake Huron. He will build a large tug for fishing in Lake Michigan and expects to have her ready early in the season.

Fruitgrowers report the condition of the peach buds to be perfect and the prospects for a big crop are good.

Some time ago the Catholics at Hilliards, Allegan county, dedicated their church at that place. Last week U. S. marshal Clark and deputy sheriff Billings went down there and arrested Frank Paddock, Joe Youkoskie and John Ejick, trustees of the church, for violating the liquor laws in selling beer on that occasion. They will have their examination at Grand Rapids.

Attorney General Ellis has decided that mortgage taxes must be collected where assessed, no matter how soon after the assessment the mortgage must be disposed of. The collector must collect it as he would other personal taxes, by levy, if necessary, on the party, goods and chattels if found anywhere within the county. If not found in the county the tax would remain as a lien upon the real estate which the mortgage covered.

A marriage license was issued last Friday to John Zuwerdink of Grand Rapids and Eggedona Krommendyk of Zeeland.

The Steamer Wisconsin which has been fastened in the ice off Grand Haven for five days, arrived at the dock at Grand Haven Saturday afternoon with the aid of the tug Merick.

Hon. D. O. Watson of Grand Lodge F. & A. M. at Saginaw last week.

Mrs. E. B. Born of Allegan was called to Petoskey last week by the sickness of her daughter Mrs. Tilla Robinson.

A new post office has been opened at Reed's Lake, Grand Rapids, and George Forrester is at the helm and the office is located at his residence on Clinton road. A special courier who rides on the electric cars delivers a daily mail from Grand Rapids and the people in the district are the only ones in the state who have their mail delivered by electricity. The office was named the Paul office, after John Paul one of the pioneers of that township.

Judge Adsit of Grand Rapids has decided that theaters there can remain open on Sunday.

Allen and Frank Hall, two St. John's boys, have struck it rich in Colorado, where they have sold a mining claim for \$50,000.

Two St. John's farmers are engaged in a law suit over a bushel and three pecks of seventy-cent wheat.

T. W. Kirby of Grand Haven will freeze 300 tons of fish this season.

The Patrons of Industry have 500 lodges in Michigan.

Hon. Thos. F. Carroll is a prominent candidate for postmaster at Grand Rapids.

Prof. J. W. Humphrey of Wayland announces himself a candidate for county commissioner of schools in Allegan county. His action in this matter is taken from the fact that Prof. Latta has declined the office and since that Mr. Taylor has been urged by his friends to take it.

John Ensing died at Graafschap Tuesday at the age of 75 years after a lingering illness. The funeral will be held to-day. He leaves a wife.

It is reported that the Grand Haven Evening Press has suspended publication.

The steamer Roanoke parted company with two buckets of her wheel in the ice off Grand Haven Monday night and was in dry dock at Milwaukee Wednesday.

A gentleman in Union County, Mo., who is too modest a man to have his name mentioned in the newspapers, was cured of rheumatism by Chamberlain's Pain Balm, after trying other medicines and treatments for thirteen years. 30 cent bottles for sale by H. Walsh, Druggist.

Late Real Estate Transfers.

John Garrettson by Exr. to James H. Purdy, lot 26, in sub. of lot 1, blk. A, Holland, \$35.

Edward J. Harrington and wife to H. W. d' Evers, lots 55 and 56, Macatawa Park Grove, \$225.

Paul Steketee and wife to Andries Steketee, pt. lot 13, blk. 31, Holland, \$1,000.

Warren E. Watson and wife to Luther E. Moore, pt. s e i 23-8-14, \$150.

John Venhuizen and wife to Wm. E. Bond and Norman L. Bond, w e i n e i and p t e i w n e i sec. 33, Holland, \$2800.

Eldert K. Nienhuis and wife to Christiaan Van Kampen, p t n n w f r i sec. 18, Holland, \$700.

John Stegenga and wife to Peter M. Nienhuis, s e i n w i sec. 29, Olive, \$775.

Alzora E. Waddle to Delia Flieman, pt. lot 5, blk. A, Holland, \$475.

Jan de Pooter and wife to Dirk Grevenoged, w i lot 16, blk. 46, Holland, \$750.

Gerrit Kraai et. al. to Geo. H. Souter, s w i s e i sec. 21, Holland, \$1.

Gilbert L. Guild and wife to Worden G. Barnaby, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 17, 18, 19, 20, blk. 5, Wilbur's Add., Hudsonville, \$135.

Calvin N. Mower et. al. to Annie Penfield Mower, s i lot 163, Gr. Haven, \$1.

Ada N. VanderCingel et. al. to Eltha J. Wilson, p t n w i sec. 25, Polkton, \$600.

John D. Pierson to Cornelius Huizenga et. al. n w i n w i and p s w i n w i sec. 15, Allendale, \$475.

Johanna M. Genkes and husband to John Genkes, w i s e i sec. 12, Jamestown, \$600.

First National Bank of Flint to Henry Bloeker, p t f r n e i sec. 20, Grand Haven, \$500.

Roelof Kroodsmma and wife to Derk Tanes n e i s e i sec. 2, Zeeland, (Ex. R. R.) n i n i s e i s e i sec. 2, Zeeland \$1850.

Hans Olsen and wife to Carl Tobiason, s e i n e i sec. 12, Spring Lake, \$700. Sylvester Conley and wife to Jan J. Schurer, s w i s w i s e i sec. 23, Spring Lake. Also known as lot 28 of J. Potter Hart's Sub. of sec. 23, \$350.

Peter Arendsen and wife to Geertje De Klieene, n e i n w f r i sec. 30-5-13, \$2400.

Clara E. Averill and husband to Amerilla Knapp, w i s e i sec. 26, Polkton; p t e i s e i sec. 26, Polkton, \$3500.

Now Try This.

It will cost you nothing and surely do you good, if you have a cough, cold, or any trouble with throat, chest or lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs or colds is guaranteed to give relief or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottle free at H. Walsh, Holland, and A. De Kruij, Zeeland, Druggists. Large size 50c. and \$1.00.

Never undersold. H. WYKHUYSEN

NEW GROCERY!

To the hay and seed business I have lately added a select stock of groceries. Call in and see our supply, we can give you what you want at as low a price as anywhere.

Wm. Swift, Eighth St.

In store formerly occupied by W. H. Beach.

The Holland Stave & Heading Co. want to buy all the stave and heading bolts they can get. Enquire at NOTTER & VERSCHURE's store for particulars.

HAPPINESS.—Yellow or Black Jaundice is at once cured by the use of Hull's Supperative, also all blood poison and all bad results from LaGrippe. For sale by Martin & Huizinga.

Five Thousand Dollars to loan, on easy terms, by the Ottawa County Building and Loan Association.

Now is the time to sell your stave and heading bolts. The Holland Stave and Heading Company are buying all the bolts they can get. Enquire at the store of NOTTER & VERSCHURE.

To cure your headache go to Martin & Huizinga for a package of Dr. Davis' Anti-Headache cure.

HAPPINESS.—One bottle of Hull's Supperative cures children that have weak kidneys. It also cures painful menstruation or irregularity, and dropsy. For sale by Martin & Huizinga.

The are some very good overcoats left for a little money at Henderson.

LOKKER & RUTGERS is a new firm just started into business here. They are selling ready-made clothing, boots and shoes, furnishing goods and hats and caps at low prices.

A large stock of elegant piece goods just received at the merchant tailoring establishment of Bosman Bros., Eighth street.

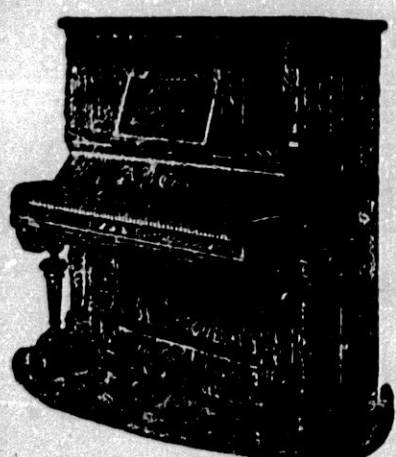
Stave bolts and heading bolts wanted in any quantity at the old Fixter stave factory. Enquire of NOTTER & VER SCHURE.

A large stock of elegant piece goods just received at the merchant tailoring establishment of Bosman Bros., Eighth street.

Our prices are lower in 1893 and our stock is larger than ever before, so we invite old and new customers. Don't miss our store because we give you the best value for the money. L. Henderson.

Have you any stave or heading bolts for sale? If so, go to NOTTER & VER SCHURE as they are buying all the bolts they can get for the Holland Stave & Heading company.

The most complete line of ready-made clothing for fall and winter and at prices lower than ever at the merchant tailoring establishment of Bosman Bros. on Eighth street.



MUSIC HOUSE

—OF—

H. MEYER & SON,

RIVER ST., HOLLAND, MICH.

Prices the Lowest!
Satisfaction Guaranteed!
Terms to Suit Purchasers!

OLD PIANOS OR ORGANS TAKEN
IN EXCHANGE.

MUSICAL GOODS OF ALL KINDS.
ALL THE BEST MAKES OF

SEWING MACHINES
KEPT IN STOCK.

Bargains!

DO YOU WANT A

Buggy, Road Wagon,
Road Cart,

OR VEHICLE OF ANY KIND?

Purchase where you can do the best
and get the best article for the least
money. That is just what we are do-
ing. If you want a Wagon, light or
heavy, see our stock. We are manu-
facturing them daily and will be pleased
to have you examine our goods. If we
do not have on hand what you want we
can make it for you on short notice and
guarantee all work and material.

We also manufacture Spring or De-
livery Wagons when desired.

In connection with the above we are
doing general Blacksmithing, Horse-
shoeing, Jobbing and Repairing in
wood and metal.

Thanking our patrons for past favors,
we solicit a share of your patronage.

JAMES KOLE.

North River St., Holland, Mich.

RIVER STREET BOTTLING WORKS

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BOTTLED BEER

At the following prices:

Quarts, per doz. \$1.00

Pints, " " .50

Single Bottles not Sold

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Quarts, per doz. \$1.00

Free delivery inside city limits.

First door north of Rosebud Sample
Rooms, River Street, Holland, Mich.

EAGLE

FOUNDRY

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF
TURNING OUT

GRATE BARS

—AND—

Job Work of all kinds
IN METAL.

PLOW REPAIRS.

GOOD WORKMANSHIP
AND LOW PRICES.

GOE, DEMING

Fifth Street, HOLLAND, MICH.

DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON.

ANOTHER DISCOURSE ON THE LESSONS OF NATURE.

There is a Sunshine of the Soul Which Can
Be Found Only in the Religion of Christ
—There are Wit, Humor, and Enduring
Vivacity Among God's People.

At the Tabernacle.

Rev. Dr. Talmage preached on "The
Sunshine of Religion," the text chosen
being Proverbs 17, "Her ways are
ways of pleasantness."

You have all heard of God's only be-
gotten Son. Have you heard of God's
daughter? She was born in Heaven.
She came down over the hills of our
world. She had queenly step. On her
brow was celestial radiance. Her voice
was music. Her name is Religion. My
text introduces her. "Her ways are
ways of pleasantness, and all her paths
are peace."

But what is religion? The fact is that
theological study has had a different
effect upon me from the effect sometimes
produced. Every year I tear out another
leaf from my theology until I have only
three or four leaves left—in other words,
a very brief and plain statement of Christian
belief.

An aged Christian minister said:
"When I was a young man I knew every-
thing; when I got to be 35 years of age
in my ministry I had only a hundred doc-
trines of religion; when I got to 40 years
of age I had only fifty doctrines
of religion; when I got to be 60 years
of age I had only ten doctrines of re-
ligion, and now I am dying at 75 years
of age, and there is only one thing I
know, and that is that Christ Jesus came
into the world to save sinners." And so
I have noticed in the study of God's
word, and in my contemplation of the
character of God and of the eternal
world, that it is necessary for me to drop
this part of my belief and that part of
my belief as being nonessential, while I
cling to the one great doctrine that man
is a sinner and Christ is his Almighty
and Divine Saviour.

God's Own Daughter.

Now I take these three or four leaves
of my theology, and I find that, in the
first place, and dominant above all
others, is the sunshine of religion. When
I go into a room I have a passion for
throwing open all the shutters. That is
what I want to do this morning. We are
apt to throw so much of the sepulchral
into our religion, and to close the shut-
ters, and to pull down the blinds, that it
is only through here and there a crevice
that the light streams. The religion of
the Lord Jesus Christ is a religion of joy
indiscribable and unutterable. Where-
ever I can find a bell I mean to ring it.

If there are any in this house this
morning who are disposed to hold on to
their melancholy and gloom, let them
now depart this service before the fairest
and the brightest and the most radi-
ant being of all the universe comes in.
God's Son has left our world, but God's
daughter is here. Give her room! Hail!
Princess of Heaven. Hail! daughter of
the Lord God Almighty. Come in and
make this house thy throne-room.

In setting forth this idea the dominant
theory of religion is one of sunshine. I
hardly know where to begin, for there
are so many thoughts that rush upon
my soul. A mother saw her little
child seated on the floor in the sunshine,
and with a spoon in her hand. She said,
"My darling, what are you doing
there?" "Oh," replied the child, "I'm
getting a spoonful of sunshine." Would
God that to-day I might present you
with a gleaming chalice of this glorious,
everlasting Gospel sunshine!

Sorrows of the Humorists.

I do not know of anything more dole-
ful than the companionship of the mere
fun-makers of the world—the Thomas
Hoods, the Charles Lambs, the Charles
Matthews of the world—the men whose
entire business is to make sport. They
make others laugh, but if you will ex-
amine their autobiography, or biography,
you will find that down in their soul
there was a terrible disquietude. Laugh-
ter is no sign of happiness. The maniac
laughs. The hyena laughs. The loon
among the Adirondacks laughs. The
drunkard dashing his decanter against
the wall laughs.

There is a terrible reaction from all
sinful amusement and sinful merriment.
Such men are cross the next day. They
snap at you on exchange, or they pass
you, not recognizing you. Long ago I
quit mere worldly society for the reason
it was so dull, so insane and so stupid.
My nature is voracious of joy. I must
have it.

I always walk on the sunning side of
the street, and for that reason I have
crossed over into Christian society. I
like their mode of repartee better. I
like their style of amusement better.
They live longer. Christian people, I
sometimes notice, live on when by all
natural law they ought to have died. I
have known persons who have continued
in their existence when the doctor said
they ought to have been dead ten years.
Every day of their existence was a de-
fiance of the laws of anatomy and
physiology, but they had this supernatural
vivacity of the Gospel in their
soul, and that kept them alive.

Christian Intellect and Repartee.

Put ten or twelve Christian people in
a room for Christian conversation, and
you will from 8 to 10 o'clock hear more
resounding glee, see more bright strokes
of wit and find more thought and pro-
found satisfaction than in any merrily
worldly party. Now when I say a
"worldly party" I mean that to which
you are invited because under all the
circumstances of the case it is the best
for you to be invited, and to which you
go because under all the circumstances
of the case it is better that you go, and
leaving the shawls on the second floor
you go to the parlor to give formal
salutation to the host and the hostess,
and then move around, spending the
whole evening in the discussion of the
weather, and in apology for treading on
long trails, and in effort to keep the cor-
ners of the mouth up to the sign of pleas-
ure, and going around with an idiotic
he-he about nothing, until the collation
is served, and then, after the collation is
served, going back again into the parlor
to resume the weather, and then at the
close going at a very late hour to the
host and hostess and assuring them that
you have had a most delightful evening,
and then passing down off the front steps,
the slam of the door the only satisfaction
of the evening.

Oh, young man, come from the coun-
try to spend your days in city life, where
are you going to spend your evenings.
Let me tell you, while there are many
places of innocent worldly amusement,
it is most wise for you to throw your
body, mind, and soul into Christian so-

ciet. Come to me at the close of five
years and tell me what has been the re-
sult of this advice. Bring with you the
young man who refused to take the ad-
vice and who went into sinful amuse-
ment. He will come dissipated, shabby
in apparel, indisposed to look any one in
the eyes, moral character 85 per cent.
off. You will come with principle
settled, countenance frank, habits good,
soul saved, and all the inhabitants of
Heaven from the lowest angel up to the
archangel, and clear past him to the
Lord God Almighty, your coadjutors.

The Brightness of Life.

This is not the advice of a misanthrope.
There is no man in the house to whom
the world is brighter than it is to me.
It is not the advice of a dyspeptic—my
digestion is perfect; it is not the advice
of a worn-out man, but the advice of a
man who can see this world in all its
brightness, and, considering myself
competent in judging what is good cheer,
I tell the multitudes of young men in
this house this morning that there is
nothing in worldly association so grand
and so beautiful and so exhilarant as in
Christian society.

I know there is a great deal of talk
about the self denials of the Christian.
I have to tell you that where the Chris-
tian has one self denial the man of the
world has a thousand self denials. The
Christian is not commanded to surrender
anything that is worth keeping. But what
does a man deny himself who de-
nies himself the religion of Christ. He
denies himself pardon of sin; he denies
himself peace of conscience; he denies
himself the joy of the Holy Ghost; he
denies himself a comfortable death pil-
low; he denies himself the glories of
Heaven. Do not talk to me about the
denials of the Christian! Life! Where
there is one in the Christian life there
are a thousand in the life of the world.
"Her ways are ways of pleasantness."

Again, I find a great deal of religious
sunshine in Christian and Divine explana-
tion. To a great many people life is an
inexplicable tangle. Things turn out
differently from what was supposed.
There is a useless woman in perfect
health. There is an industrious and con-
scientious woman a complete invalid. Ex-
plain that. There is a bad man with \$30,-
000 of income. There is a good man of
\$800 income. Why is that? There is a
foe of society who lives on, doing all the
damage he can, to 75 years of age, and
here is a Christian father, faithful in
every department of life at 35 years of age
taken away by death, his family left help-
less. Explain that. Oh, there is no sense
that often drops from your lips than
this: "I cannot understand it. I cannot
understand it."

No Real Life Without Religion.

There are hundreds of people in this
house who are walking day by day in
the sublime satisfaction that all is for
the best, all things working together for
good for their soul. How a man can get
along through this life without the ex-
planation is to me a mystery. What is
that child gone forever? Are you never
to get it back? Is your property gone
forever? Is your soul to be bruised and
tried forever? Have you no explanation,
no Christian explanation, and yet not a
maniac? But when you have the re-
ligion of Jesus Christ in your soul it ex-
plains everything so far as it is best for
you to understand. You look off in life,
and your soul is full of thanksgiving to
God that you are much better off than
you might be.

A man passed down the street without
any shoes and said: "I have no shoes.
Isn't it a hardship that I have no shoes?
Other people have shoes. No shoes, no
shoes," until he saw a man with no feet.
Then he learned a lesson. You ought to
thank God for what He does, instead of
grumbling for what He does not. God
arranges all the weather in this world—
the spiritual weather, the moral weather,
as well as the natural weather. "What
kind of weather will it be to-day?" said
some one to a farmer. The farmer re-
plied, "It will be such weather as I like."
"What do you mean by that?" asked the
other. "Well," said the farmer, "it will
be such weather as pleases the Lord,
and what pleases the Lord pleases me."

Oh, the sunshine, the sunshine of
Christian explanation! Here is some one
bending over the grave of the dead.
What is going to be the consolation? The
flowers you strew upon the tomb? Oh,
no. The services read at the grave?
Oh, no. The chief consolation on that
grave is what falls from the throne of
God. Sunshine—glorious sunshine. Resur-
rection sunshine.

Our Joy Here But a Foretaste.

Again, I find a great deal of the sun-
shine of this Bible and of our religion in
the climatic joys that are to come. A
man who gets up and goes out from a
concert right after the opening voluntary
has been played and before the prima
donna sings, or before the orchestra be-
gins, has a better idea of that concert
than the man who supposes that the
chief joys of religion are in this world.
We here have only the first note of the
eternal orchestra. We shall in that
world have the joy of discovery. We
will in five minutes catch up with the
astronomers, the geologists, the scien-
tists, the philosophers of all ages who so
far surpassed us in this world. We can
afford to adjourn astronomy and geology
and many of the sciences to the next
world, because we shall there have better
apparatus and better opportunity.

I must study these sciences so far as to
help me in my work, but beyond that I
must give myself to saving my own soul
and saving the souls of others, knowing
that in one flash of eternity we will
catch it all. Oh, what an observatory
in which to study astronomy! Heaven will
be, not by power of telescope, but by
supernatural vision, and if there be
something doubtful 10,000,000 miles away
by one stroke of the wing you are there,
by another stroke of the wing you are
back again, and in less time than I tell
you catching it all in one flash of eternity.
And geology! What a place that will
be to study geology, when the world is
being picked to pieces as easily as a
schoolgirl in botanical lessons pulls the
leaves from the corolla! What a place to
study architecture, amid the thrones,
and the palaces, and the cathedrals—St.
Mark's and St. Paul's rookeries in com-
parison.

God's Own Science.

Sometimes you wish you could make
the tour of the whole earth, going around
as others have gone, but you have not
the time; you have not the means. You
will make that tour yet during one mus-
ical pause in the eternal anthem. I say
these things for the comfort of those
people who are abridged in their oppor-
tunities—those people to whom life is a
humdrum, who toil and work, and toil
and work, and aspire after knowledge,
but have no time to get it, and say, "If
I had the opportunities which other peo-
ple have, how I would fill my mind and
soul with grand thoughts!" Be not dis-
couraged, my friends. You are going to
the university yet. Death will only

matriculate you into the royal college of
the universe.

What a sublime thing it was that Dr.
Thornwell of South Carolina, uttered in
his last dying moments! As he looked
up he said, "It opens; it expands; it ex-
pands." Or as Mr. Toplady, the author
of "Rock of Ages," in his last moment, or
during his last hours, looked up and
said, as though he saw something su-
pernatural, "Light!" and then as he
came on nearer the dying moment, his
countenance more luminous, he cried,
"Light!" and at the very moment of his
departure lifted both hands, something
supernatural in his countenance as he
cried, "Light!" Only another name for
sunshine.

A Selected Society Indeed.

Besides that we shall have all the
pleasures of association. We will go
right up in front of God without any
fright. All our sins gone, there will be
nothing to be frightened about. There
our old Christian friends will troop
around us. Just as now one of your
sick friends goes away to Florida, the
land of flowers, or to the south of France,
and you do not see him for a
long while, and after awhile you meet
him, and the hollows under the eyes are
all filled, and the appetite has come
back, and the crutch has been thrown
away, and he is so changed you hardly
know him. You say, "Why, I never saw
you look so well." He says, "I couldn't
help but be well. I have been sailing
these rivers and climbing these mount-
ains, and that's how I got this elasticity.
I never was so well."

Oh, my friends, your departed loved
ones are only away for their health in a
better climate, and when you meet them
they will be so changed you will hardly
know them; they will be so very much
changed, and after awhile, when you are
assured that they are your friends, your
departed friends, you will say: "Why,
where is that cough? Where is that
paralysis? Where is that pneumonia?
Where is that consumption?" And he
will say: "Oh, I am entirely well; there
are no sick ones in this country. I have
been ranging these hills, and hence this
elasticity. I have been here now twenty
years, and not one sick one have I seen
—we are all well in this climate."

And then I stand at the gate of the
celestial city to see the processions come
out, and I see a long procession of little
children with their arms full of flowers,
and then I see a procession of kings and
priests moving in celestial pageantry—a
long procession, but no black tattered
vehicle, no mourning group—and I say:
"How strange it is! Where is your
Greenwood? Where is your Laurel Hill?
Where is your Westminster abbey?"
And they shall cry, "There are no
graves here." And then listen to the
tolling of the old bellfries of Heaven, the
old bellfries of eternity. I listen to hear
them toll for the dead. But they toll
not for the dead. They only strike up a
silvery chime, tower to tower, east gate
to west gate, as they ring out, "They
shall hunger no more, neither thirst any
more, neither shall the sun light on them,
nor any heat, for the Lamb which is
in the midst of the throne shall lead
them to living fountains of water, and
God shall wipe away all tears from their
eyes."

Oh, unglove your hand and give it to
me in congratulation on that scene. I
feel as if I would shout. I will shout
hallelujah! Dear Lord, forgive me that
I ever complained about anything. If
all this is before us, who cares for any-
thing but God and Heaven and eternal
brotherhood? Take the crape off the
doorbell. Your loved ones are only
away for their health in a land ambrosial.
Come, Lowell Mason; come, Isaac
Watts, and give us your best hymn
about joy celestial.

A Heaven on Earth.

What is the use of postponing our
heaven any longer? Let it begin now,
and whosoever hath a harp, let her
thrum it; and whosoever hath a trumpet,
let him blow it; and whosoever hath
trumpet, let him blow it; and who-
an organ, let him give us a
full diapason. They crowd down the
air, spirits blessed, moving in a caval-
cade of triumph. Their chariot wheels
whirl in the Sabbath sunlight. They
come! Hail, armies of God! Hail! un-
til we are ready to join the battalion of
pleasures that never die.

Oh, my friends, it would take a ser-
mon as long as eternity to tell the joys
that are coming to us. I just set open
the sunny door. Come in, all ye dis-
ciples of the world who have found the
world a mockery. Come in, all ye dis-
ciples of the dance and see the bounding
feet of this heavenly gladness. Come
in, ye disciples of worldly amusement
and see the stage where kings are the
actors, and burning worlds the footlights,
and thrones the spectacular. Arise ye
dead in sin, for this is the morning of
the resurrection. The joys of Heaven
submerge our soul. I pull out the
trumpet stop. In thy presence there is
a fullness of joy; at thy right hand there
are pleasures forevermore.

Oh, the sunshine, the glorious sun-
shine, the everlasting sunshine!

Proverbs.

Look not upon the horse-race and
monkey with the pool-seller, for it is
not wise to bet unless you can win.

Try not to grieve the stranger who so-
journeth in thy land and seemeth meek
and sad; for of such are three-card-
monte men made.

A wise woman will not light the fire
with kerosene, but will invite the ser-
vant-girl, to whom she owes three
months' wages to do the same.

If a man smites thee on the right
cheek, turn also to him thy left cheek,
and peradventure thou shalt with great
ease plant a kick that will cause him to
become discouraged and repent of his
folly.

The young man who drinketh too
copiously of firewater and trieth to
"run a town," will surely come to
grief, when in the fullness of time he
hath everlastingly hammered the stub-
born limestone.

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course thorough, tuition free—but in-
cidental expenses enormous.

The foolish man sayeth to himself:
"I will blow in the muzzle of this
empty gun," and the wise coroner will
say in his report: "Accidentally blown
to the hereafter."

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down two, four, or more hogs, think
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men folks and children, whose diges-
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A COMMUNICATION.
HOLLAND, MICH., Feb. 2, 1893.
TO THE CITIZENS OF HOLLAND:

Some two weeks ago a little incident occurred at the factory of the West Mich. Furniture company which has been seized upon by certain irresponsible and loud-mouthed, so-called labor agitators, and one or two simple minded and ignorant republican "ward heelers," and right here let me say in justice to them that all fair minded republicans despise the individuals mentioned as every honest and good citizen does, but many of them tolerate the empty vapors of these mischiefmakers simply because they fear their venomous tongues. May the time speedily come when their courage will rise to meet the responsibilities of good citizenship.

This article is not written in defense of the West Michigan Furniture company as they need no defense; but in view of all that has been said and written regarding this company recently it becomes necessary in the interest of the public good that the facts in the case be made public. The writer had earnestly hoped that some other of our many citizens who had the best interests of our city at heart, and especially our newspapers might have addressed themselves to the task; but since all have chosen to stand idly by, I have reluctantly allowed myself to "rush into print."

The facts are as follows:
Last October many severe accidents occurred at the factory. One proved fatal and left a widow with six small children to support. The company was in no way culpable as the accidents were entirely unforeseen and unavoidable. From humane motives, however, the company aided many of those who had met with misfortunes and in the case of the fatal accident paid all the expenses attendant upon the death, and further agreed, simply for humanity's sake, to pay the widow five dollars per week for one year. These many and distressing accidents coming so near together, with the further talk of damage suits indulged in by some of the misguided friends of parties injured, confirmed the company in doing what they had long been contemplating and which they had earnestly been advised to do by many of the best citizens of Holland viz., to put on an accident insurance to cover the company and its employees. They accordingly took out a policy with the American Casualty and Insurance company (a company that is insuring the great bulk of reputable firms in the country) in November last at which time a number of their employees were consulted regarding it. The provisions of this policy are as follows:
First, a boiler insurance clause.
Second, a company insurance damage suits that might be brought against the company at the instigation and advice of disreputable lawyers, and
Third, an employee's insurance against accidents.

When it is understood that the two latter are inseparable, that one cannot be taken without the other, it will probably explain to the numerous critics of other people's business wherein the company is interested. The company desired to be protected and knew that protection was an excellent thing for its employees, many of whom had been carrying insurance at a much greater cost heretofore. The company proposed to pay nearly one-half of the entire insurance for the protection it receives, and to ask its employees to pay the balance which was a small matter for the protection they received. The company placed this insurance in November last and carried it themselves until two weeks ago when they served notice on their employees of its provisions, etc., and its cost to them. To this a small number of the employees objected and succeeded by vigorously circulating among the men in stirring many of them to anger, and under excitement a large number left the factory. Soon after a committee of those men visited the manager of the company and very vigorously presented their grievances which were, in brief, that they had not been consulted about the matter and that they did not propose to be "forced" into it against their will. The manager immediately informed the committee that the company had no intention of forcing them, that their grievance was a just one in so far as the insurance had been placed without consulting them, and if they so interpreted the company's actions, that they were justified in asserting their independence. He assured the committee, however, that if the company had offended them that it was entirely through a misapprehension, as the manager had supposed, with good reason, that the employees of the factory were quite generally aware that the insurance had been placed last November and that the present printed notice was simply to advise them as to its provisions and the pro-rate cost to them. The manager further assured them that if any employee preferred not to work in the factory under the insurance, that they were at perfect liberty to seek employment elsewhere and that they might continue in the employ of the company for one or two months until they could find other employment, but that eventually the company expected all employees who desired to continue with them to do so under the conditions mapped out.

With these mutual explanations the men all went to their work again the following morning. The company had freely forgiven the men for walking out and the many bitter things that had been said, and had a right to expect that their employees had just as freely forgiven them for their error (if so it might be called) of the head but not of the heart. No one realizes more fully than does the manager of the West Mich. Fur. Co. that employers and employees must work in the most perfect harmony and that the best results can be obtained only when the most cordial relations exist between them, to maintain that he would wantonly and brainlessly bring on a quarrel with employees of the company is to accuse him of being too ignorant to conduct any business. The relations between the company and its men have always been of the most friendly character, and were it not for the intermeddling of two or three outside parties who are doing their utmost to bring on a conflict, together with the very unwise criticisms and comments which a very gross misrepresentation of facts has caused many of my fellow-townsmen, who ought to know better, to make, these friendly feelings would, without doubt, continue.

Fellow citizens of Holland, a word in conclusion. We are all proud of the progress our city is now making, traveling men unite in telling us we are by far the best city of its size in the state. Will you stop to reflect what is the cause of our prosperity? Holland's industries are its life. The success of all these industries depends absolutely upon the good understanding and kindly feeling existing between the men who make these industries what they are, viz., employed and employer. There must be confidence and contentment here or our prosperity is doomed. Will any one gainsay this fact, it not it becomes the paramount duty of every good citizen to frown down every attempt to destroy this confidence between employed and employer. Strike down and strike down hard any man, be he a loud mouthed labor demagogue, or a brainless idiot who can see nothing but politics in every move and stands ready to destroy anything so long as he and the clique he represents may succeed in gaining the applause of their dupes. Let honest labor pause and consider carefully whether their interest lies in the direction that these demagogues lead or rather in the building up the industries that furnish them employment and scatter peace, plenty and prosperity into happy homes. Let every honest citizen look over the history of cities that have passed through so-called labor convulsions and note the poverty, distress and ruin that have marked their path. Look on Homestead and find one redeeming feature of the whole lamentable affair and remember that this picture was painted by the so-called labor demagogue for the purpose of getting "even" with somebody. I am, fellow citizens, Your obedient servant,
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